

TOOK SNAP SHOTS OF
SMOKING CHIMNEYS

Smoke Inspector Riley After Violators—Com. Brown Raises Pay of Precinct Officers.

In an attempt to convince owners of buildings and mill agents that they are actually violating the smoke laws, Smoke Inspector Charles Riley purchased a small camera some time ago for the purpose of taking pictures of smoking chimneys. He has quite a collection of photographs of chimneys at

his office at city hall and they furnish him with very convincing arguments. The snap shot photographs tell the story and Mr. Riley says the mill agents and others cannot get away from it. Asked what the corporations had been doing to abate the smoke nuisance, Inspector Riley gave a resume.

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LOWELL POLICE AIDED IN
CAPTURE OF AXEMAN

Jas. W. Prindle, Jr. Charged With 100 Burglaries, Several in Lowell, Arrested by Somerville Police

In the arrest of James W. Prindle in Somerville last night Chief Welch of the local police force considered that one of the most clever, as well as one of the most desperate criminals who ever operated in this city has at last been brought to justice. Although only nineteen years of age Prindle is looked upon as one of the slickest and boldest of his special type of criminal.

The Lowell police attribute at least two robberies to the young man who was arrested last night by the Somerville police on the charge of breaking and entering and larceny. The Prindle case as well as another smaller break on E street Supt. Welch is certain were committed by the youthful desperado and it is not at all improbable that Prindle also had a hand in the breaks made at the Wood and Sheppard residences.

Lived With Girl Here

Prindle lived in Lowell for a short time but made his escape from this locality some six weeks ago. While here he was known as Elliott and lived with a young girl who was supposed to be his wife. The girl was arrested

with him last night in Somerville and gave her name as Bertha Eldredge, 16 years of age, of Boston. She will be sent here today as the local police have a serious charge to prefer against her.

The only residence which Prindle had in Lowell that has been discovered by the police thus far is \$2 Grand street. He and the Eldredge girl lived in a room there and passed for several weeks as a married couple.

Their exodus from Lowell, however, was about as hasty and expeditious as their entrance had been. On the night of Nov. 7 a train boy by the name of

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DENY R. R. MEN RAN
POKER GAMES IN HUB

Hill Says He Made no Charges That Legislators Were Allowed to Win as "Subterfuge"

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—A denial that he had charged representatives of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad with conducting poker games in which members of the legislature were allowed to win large sums of money was made today by Arthur D. Hill, who as attorney for a Boston paper is examining witnesses at the public service commission's hearing on certain items appearing in the railroad's expense account.

Mr. Hill said that he had made no charges, although at yesterday's hearing he asked Henry E. Bowden, a New Haven agent, if he knew anything about poker games alleged to have been played at a hotel where Bowden lived.

The denial of Mr. Hill followed the statement of William H. Connelley, one of the railroad's attorneys that a morning newspaper had published an account of yesterday's hearing saying that Hill had charged that poker games had been conducted as a "subterfuge for bribery" by employees of the office of Arthur F. Russell, one of the railroad's counsel.

Suits Against Paper

Suits would be instituted against the paper, he said.

Mr. Russell, who was called as a witness, denied all knowledge of any poker games by either himself or by his employees for the purpose of "taking care" as he expressed it, of members of the legislature. He had never heard any suggestion of such games, he said, until Mr. Hill's questions yesterday.

He said that in the 27 years he had been connected with the railroad he had been "careful to have been as discreet as possible."

"Not only have I played no poker in the hotel mentioned," he said, "but I have not even dined there while the legislature was in session."

Charles B. Strecker, president and general manager of the Financial News, and democratic candidate for state auditor in 1912, said that certain vouchers showing payments to him by the New Haven company represented payments for straight display advertising matter.

XMAS EXERCISES HELD

Excellent Programs in Local Public and Parochial Schools in Honor of Yuletide Season

In most of the public and parochial schools of this city Christmas exercises were held today, prior to the closing of the schools for the annual Christmas vacations. The exercises at Notre Dame academy were held yesterday afternoon, while at St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's school will not be dismissed until next week at which time the Christmas exercises will be held.

The program rendered at the Notre Dame academy was a rather attractive one, and the entertainment was given in the assembly hall of the academy in the presence of all the pupils. Rt. Rev. Monsignor William O'Brien, P. R., Rev. Timothy P. Callahan and Rev. Joseph A. Corbin were present and they greatly enjoyed the program. At the close of the exercises Mgr. O'Brien was presented a huge bouquet of flowers and

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WAS FOUND DEAD

Man Who Left State Infirmary in Tewksbury Committed Suicide

Fred Dion, a man who left the state infirmary in Tewksbury yesterday, was found dead this morning at 11:30 o'clock in his room at the Windsor house on Middlesex street. Dion committed suicide by taking "rough on rats" probably last night before going to bed.

Dion came to the Windsor house last evening and hired a room for the night. He was rather feeble at the time and appeared to be suffering from some malady which caused him great pain. Nothing more was seen of him by the proprietors of the lodging house until this morning when his door was forced open after repeated knockings upon it had failed to arouse any response.

The dead man was only about thirty years of age, but had been afflicted with an incurable disease for several

years and had grown despondent over his hopeless physical condition. Yesterday he collected what money was due him from the state institution at Tewksbury and departed. The infirmary authorities thinking that he was leaving for his sister's residence on Common street, Lawrence.

THE SATURDAY FEATURES

The Saturday features, as usual, will be of special interest this week. "The Man in the Moon" has a list of old-time Lowell ball players in addition to many other topics that should be widely read. "Lady Lookabout" touches on an array of subjects, several of which touch on the Christmas season. The Spellbinder has something about coming reforms and local conditions that will doubtless command attention of everybody interested in the city government.

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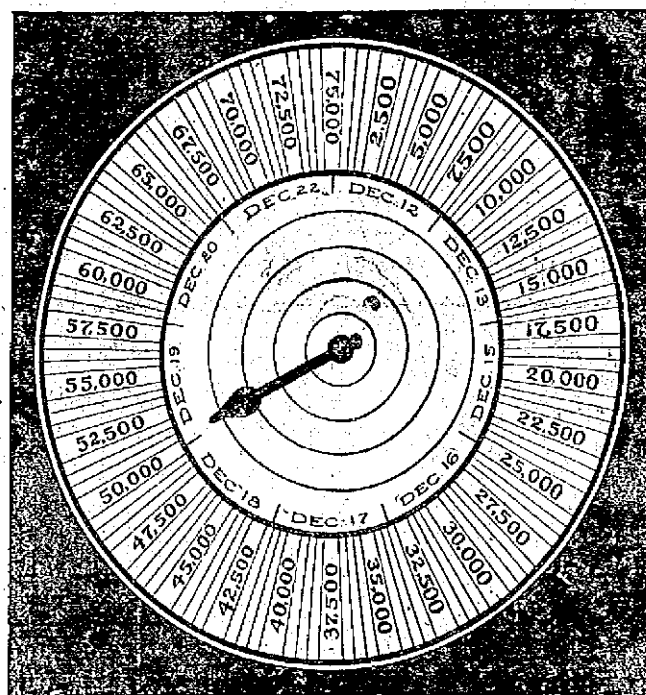
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EASTMAN KODAKS

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THE Y. M. C. A. CLOCK ON THE RUMELLS BUILDING

Another interesting meeting of the Y. M. C. A. campaign committee was held this noon at the gymnasium and when the smoke had cleared away it was learned that the sum of \$3,065.80 had been pledged during the past 24 hours, making the grand total \$50,136.76.

Today's meeting was featured by a number of amusing announcements among them a gift of 75 cents from the Old Ladies' home on Fletcher street. Two of the women at the home believed that they should do something toward raising the fund and as they were not able to bring the contribution of 50 cents to the headquarters they secured another inmate to make the trip and on the way down town the third party became enthused and she too, pledged 25 cents, making a total of 75 cents. P. A. Fletcher announced that while walking along the street this morning a man stepped up to him and gave him a dollar saying that there were 10,000 other people in Lowell who should do the same. It was also reported that a number of unsolicited subscriptions are being received and one of those was from a man in Canada who refused to give his name. The other pledges that were announced were: Pawtucketville Boy Scouts, Lowell Ideachry employees, ladies of the

Benevolent society of the First Congregational church, Abbot Worsted Co., \$200; Philip S. Marden, \$100; Lowell Commercial college, \$50; French Baptist church, \$19; Roderick MacDonald of Manchester, but formerly of Lowell, \$10; and from former Physical Director or Seale of Hartford and the Billerica grange.

Attention was called to the meeting of the high school and employed boys held last night at the gym at which time it was voted to attempt to raise \$5000 toward the fund. The boys personally contributed \$397 which was not counted in today's total and they will canvass the city during the next few days in their effort to save the association building from being sold.

Manager Williams read a notice from a local newspaper advertising the building for sale at public auction on Jan. 11, 1914, and again urged the members to work until the finish. The campaign will close Monday night and nearly \$25,000 will have to be raised between now and that time.

Rev. A. H. Newcomb offered blessing before the noon luncheon today and the committee members appeared to be in good spirits as they partook of the excellent repast that was prepared by the women's auxiliary.

Report of Teams, Dec. 19:
Previously announced\$47,070.46

Today 2,055.30
\$50,136.76

Citizens' Committee

Team	No of Pledges	Amount
1—F. A. Bowen, capt.....	15	\$150.00
2—H. A. Smith, capt.....	4	55.00
3—F. E. Dunbar, capt.....	7	242.00
4—C. B. Redway, capt.....	2	50.00
5—Franklin Nourse, capt.....	4	140.00
6—H. W. Foster, capt.....	11	132.00
7—E. W. Hall, capt.....	5	60.00
8—R. W. Thompson, capt.....	3	160.00
9—W. H. Taylor, capt.....	11	232.00
10—Geo. H. Taylor, capt.....	61	\$1612.00

Business Men's Committee

Team	No of Pledges	Amount
C—W. T. S. Bartlett, capt. 6	6	\$156.00
D—J. A. Derby, capt.....	14	88.00
E—C. F. Fleming, capt.....	4	80.00
F—W. H. G. Wright, capt.....	19	226.00
G—A. F. French, capt.....	10	115.00
H—C. Vanderberg, capt.....	2	20.00
I—W. T. Sheppard, capt.....	3	75.00

Young Business Men's Committee

Team	No of Pledges	Amount
L—Frank Gilbert, capt.....	2	\$35.00
M—L. G. Campbell, capt.....	10	31.00
N—W. G. Procter, capt.....	3	32.00
O—Otis Little, capt.....	13	59.50
P—Theodore Pearson, capt.....	12	60.00
Q—Lawrence Fitch, capt.....	3	57.00
R—Lawrence Chase, capt.....	11	71.00
S—E. W. Decker, capt.....	21	104.00
T—J. V. B. Coburn, capt. 1	1	16.00
W—Geo. C. Dunn, capt.....	37	157.75

134 \$701.25

where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Arthur Bernache, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

DEATHS

BROWN—Nelson Brown, aged 56 years, died yesterday at his home, 331 Northern street, after a short illness. He leaves his wife, Clara Brown; three brothers, Peter of this city, George and Mose of Chazy, N. Y., a sister, Melina Ashline of Alburg, Vt.

FUNERAL NOTICE

BROWN—The funeral of Nelson Brown will be held tomorrow morning from his home, 331 Northern street. High mass of Requiem at St. Joseph's church at 8:45 o'clock. Friends invited. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Amodeo Archambault.

FEDERALS ROUT 'REBELS

Zapata, Rebel Leader, Driven From Headquarters and Nearly Captured by Federal Troops

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19.—The federal troops just missed capturing Emiliano Zapata, the rebel leader, yesterday, at Nepeera ranch in the federal district about 150 miles to the south of Mexico, where he had established his temporary headquarters during the recent attacks on the government forces.

The federal troops approached the

ranch from several directions and skirmishing with Zapata's followers proceeded for an hour, resulting in the rout of the rebels.

Some of the rebel prisoners told their captors that Zapata himself was in command and was one of the last to escape. He broke through the circle of federal troops with a few com-

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CURRENCY BILL TO PASS

Leaders Expect That Long Debated Measure Will Pass the Senate Late Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Unless unforeseen obstacles are encountered the new currency bill will pass the senate before it adjourns tonight. Democratic leaders had the bill in such shape at the closing moments of last night's session that they might have passed it with an hour or two more of debate.

They are confident of guiding the deliberations today so that the long debated measure will pass by a safe majority and go to conference with the house, where, with prompt action leaders expect to see the new bill ready for President Wilson's signature by Tuesday at the latest.

Most of the differences between the two houses may be said to have been largely ironed out in advance. Majorities in both houses are expected to support the measure.

Senator Underwood in the house is authority for the statement that only two or three serious points of difference remain and they are now expected to prolong the conference. One of the most important points of difference concerns when the new currency system shall go into operation. The house bill proposed that it become effective within three months from the passage of the bill.

The senate bill says: "As soon as convenient." Adulteration leaders believe the senate provision will prevail.

As one provision of the senate bill extends the Aldrich-Vreeland law to operate during the transition period officials expect to see the new system working smoothly while reserves are being shifted and conditions changing to meet the new law. Secretary McAdoo has announced that the federal treasury would be ready with its millions to help the transformation in every way.

Settlement of the remaining details was begun as soon as the senate assembled. A combination of amendments by Senators Crawford, Owen and Nelson broadened the section to allow national banks to lend on five year farm mortgages. The amendment would permit central reserve city and country banks to loan one-third of their time deposits or 25 per cent. of their capital and surplus on such security. Senator Nelson succeeded in getting into the bill a provision that

such banks may continue to receive time deposits and pay interest on them, a procedure at present a technical violation of the law.

The democrats voted down a proposal by Senator Crawford to prohibit interlocking directorates in banks in the new system.

Regional Banks

Senator Cummings presented an amendment to authorize the regional banks to loan direct to individuals on proper security if the banks in the borrowers' community were "unable or unwilling." Several republicans joined democrats against it and it was beaten 47 to 33.

Senator Newlands declared he had several changes which he wished to propose to the measure but said he would prefer to have the democratic caucus first pass upon them. He began an agitation for a further caucus of democrats.

SUPERIOR COURT

The trial of the accident case of Sarah A. Chadwick vs. the city of Lowell was resumed at superior court this afternoon and several witnesses for the plaintiff testified at the morning session. This is the last case to be heard by the jury this sitting, although there is one case to be heard by Judge Chase without jury.

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SECOND FLOOR

Rugs	Pictures	Kimonos
Couch Covers	Fancy Screens	Furs
Utility Boxes	Cedar Chests	Campbell Kids
Lace Curtains	Undermuslins	Waste Baskets
Japanese Screens	Infants' Wear	Women's Bath
Portieres	Aprons	Robes

IN BASEMENT

Fancy Waist Patterns	Hand Painted China
Fancy Blankets	Japanese China
Silk Down Puffs	Bric-a-Brac
Towels	Gas and Electric Lamps
Tray Cloths	Aluminum
Linen Sels	Chafing Dishes
Embroidered Pillow Cases	Percolators
Dolls	Bath Robe Blankets
Cut Glass	Eiderdown Flannel
Victrolas	Victor Records
Grafonolas	Columbia Records
Silverware	

STREET FLOOR

Silk Waist Patterns	Ostrich Feathers	Umbrellas
Plain and Fancy	Fancy Stationery	Men's Neckwear
Silks	Books	Fancy Suspenders
Gloves	Rosary Beads	Men's Bath Robes
Fancy Garters	Prayer Books	Men's Silk Hose
Arm Bands	Bibles	Fancy Belts
Women's Neckwear	Calendars	Ruchings
Laces	Mexican Work	Suit Cases
Corset Cover Patterns	Cut Work	Traveling Bags
Silk Hosiery	Drawn Work	Pocket Books
Ribbons	Battenberg	Wrist Bags
Toilet Articles	Pin Cushions	Fancy Waists
Perfumes	Fancy Work	Handkerchiefs
Toilet Sets	Jewelry	Clings
Manicure Sets	Shell Goods	Clippers
Corsets	Hair Ornaments	Lamb's Wool Soles
	Rings	Shoes

CRIMES DID IT COURT MARTIAL

Burglar Insurance Rates in New York Increased Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A sweeping advance was made yesterday in burglar insurance rates upon risks in this city and the surrounding territory. The new rates will go into effect today and they were decided upon after an all day session of the Burglary Insurance Underwriters' association. Those who met were representatives of 21 of the largest burglary insurance companies in the country. Crime conditions in New York, it was stated, were responsible for the increase. The action of the underwriters has brought New York burglary insurance rates up to those of Chicago, which have been the highest in the country.

German Lieutenant is Charged With Cutting Down Lame Man

STRASSBURG, Germany, Dec. 19.—Lieut. Baron Von Forstner of the 93rd Infantry was put on trial by court martial today for cutting down with his sabre a lame shoemaker of Zabern, Alsace, on Dec. 2. The formal charge is of wilful assault and causing great bodily harm by the illegal use of a weapon. Lieut. Von Forstner was the officer who brought about the recent troubles between the military and civilian population of Zabern by making insulting remarks in regard to the Alsatian citizens when he addressed the recruits of his company. When the townspeople became acquainted with the circumstances surrounding the "disorderly" broke out and lasted for several days, ending in the transfer of the 93rd Infantry to other parts of Alsace by order of Emperor William. The incidents caused a government crisis in Germany which was accompanied by rumors of the resignation of the imperial chancellor, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE OPERA HOUSE: Miss Marion Leonard, the great emotional actress, will be seen at the Opera House today in the three reel Warner feature, "A Leaf in the Storm." This is a powerful dramatic story, strong and logical in its plot, vivid in its contrasts of life, running the whole gamut of the emotions. The story opens with Miss Leonard in a New York tenement where she is living in hopes of finding the means to support herself and little baby. A month later her husband had been killed in a mine accident, and she sought the city, leaving her child in the care of a neighbor. A youth of the underworld, who is struck by her beauty, follows her home and tells her where she can secure work. When he offers her money to pay for a new dress, she understands and drives him from the room. After he has gone the landlord comes in and demands his rent or she is to be ejected the following morning. In her despair she decides to go to the dance hall where the "Caddy" told her she could find work, but once within the hall her soul revolts. How she triumphs over the forces of the underworld and regains her freedom brings this story to a climax that is unusual and thrilling and proves a splendid vehicle for Miss Leonard's emotional acting.

KIMBLE'S THEATRE: Audiences still hold a great affection for the old songs, the sentimental ones, and whoever appears and sings them in a satisfactory manner will get plaudits. With Oakland, the great California tenor, who is appearing at B. F. Keith's theatre, this week gives a number of these songs in a manner wholly delightful. "At the Club" is the title of the little play in which Mr. Oakland and four others appear. All sing exceedingly well. In fact audiences very generally consider it the best made singing act seen here in years. Lewis and Dody, two natural comedians, who have done out a lot of original stuff, sing and prance about in real comedy style. Herbert and Clark, best farceurs have a telling little skit which deals with a slave struck woman who becomes infatuated with a popular actor. She emerges from her hallucination all right, Jordan and Bolger dance well, and Blanchard and Hughes are classy singers. Paul Stevens is one of the greatest of comedians, and Belle Hathaway's monkeys create a lot of real fun. The bill closes with the Pathé Weekly pictures. Phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE: It is now an assured fact that the week just coming to a close at the Merrimack Square theatre, where "The Penman" is being presented, will be set down as one of the most successful of the present season. And as a fitting climax to a big week, Miss Anger Carroll has arranged for another of these popular receptions to be given after tomorrow's matinee and the many patrons who were disappointed in not meeting their favorites on account of the crowds which attended the first reception will have another opportunity tomorrow. For the special holiday attraction to be presented the coming week, one which has a record for success in the country over "The Prisoner of Zenda" will be given. In this great play James M. Hackett starred and achieved his greatest triumph. It is a play which lends itself admirably for stock presentations and will be given with an excellent cast, introducing new members and a complete production. Seats for the performances, including Xmas matinee and night now.

THEATRE VOYONS: In the photoplay, "The House of David," a biograph feature in two parts, the Voyons has secured one of the best picture plays ever witnessed. This play is taken from a society home where the mother is saved from a fatal mistake by an accident but is separated from her child and husband. Years later she sees her daughter making the same mistake. She asked permission to have the daughter visit her and promises that she will not tell the relationship. The mother's insistence finally prevails on the daughter and she gives up her meetings with her father's coachman. The father coming to get her meets the mother and the youthful love is again brought to life.

THE PLAYHOUSE: "The Dreamland Girls" will give their third performance at the Playhouse today and tomorrow, and will receive their customary cordial greeting, no doubt. The Playhouse is rapidly establishing a name for good, wholesome mirth and melody, as indicated by the constantly increasing patronage. The show given is a diversion, something which one sees only at the Playhouse in Lowell. If you are tired of the movies or of vaudeville, slip into the Playhouse and have one good, long laugh. The hook was applied last night to several amateurs who deserved it. Some there were who gave very pleasing numbers, and the applause which followed their efforts indicated a proper appreciation from the crowd; but others failed to come up to the mark, and fell victims to the violent embrace of the hook. It was some fun.

THE KASINO: This afternoon and evening, and tomorrow afternoon and evening, you may exercise to music by a picked band at the Kasino. On skates absolutely flawless, you may run about the spacious arena, with the least effort, and with an exhilaration rarely experienced in any exercise. Courteous attendants are always present to help the uninitiated, but as a rule, patrons are able to guide themselves, and seldom is a fall seen.

TO ASK FOR DRY DOCK: PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—Armed with facts and figures, a trainload of Philadelphians left here early today for Washington, where they planned to win the secretary of the navy over to favoring the building of a 1700 foot drydock in the navy yard in this city. In his estimates recently submitted to congress, Secretary Daniels favored the Norfolk yard for the drydock. A Merritt Taylor, director of the department of rapid transit, was expected to speak for Mayor Blankenburg, who was unable to accompany the delegates.

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HITS TAFT AND TEDDY RAPS CALAMITY HOWLERS

Judge Cullen Says Criticism of Courts by Former President is Unjust—Talks on Thaw Case

Speaker Clark Says Panic Talk by Root and Mann is Unpardonable—Defends Tariff Law

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Criticism of courts, made by both former Presidents Taft and Roosevelt, was termed "unjustified" last night by Chief Justice Edgar M. Cullen of the New York court of appeals. The justice will retire on January 1 under the age law, and his remarks were made at a banquet given him by the Albany County Bar association.

The alleged attempt of a politician to extort \$50,000 from Anthony C. Douglas, a tunnel contractor, as compensation for obtaining him a contract on the construction of the Croton aqueduct was the subject of further investigation yesterday by the grand jury. Charles Strauss, chairman of the board of water supply, which had charge of the letting of the contract, was before the jury for more than two hours and was asked to explain why Douglas, who was the lowest bidder, did not get the contract. Mr. Strauss testified that Douglas was not given the contract because the board believed him not qualified to undertake the work. Mr. Strauss declared he had never been approached by the politician in question regarding the contract and District Attorney Whitman is convinced that the integrity of the board of water supply in the matter cannot be impugned.

Alleged Claim False

The evidence tends to show, it is said, that the politician made false representations to Douglas that he was able to control the awarding of the contract.

The jury adjourned until next Tuesday. The district attorney's John Doe inquiry into state highway graft will be resumed today.

Technicalities, red tape and an imperfect jury system, he declared, were responsible for many miscarriages of justice for which the bench was held responsible. In this connection he called attention to the Thaw case, saying: "Whole responsibility for the miscarriage of justice in this case was due to the action of the jury."

Judge Cullen declared he favored

the appointment rather than the election of judges. The principles for which judges act rather than their individual characters, have been criticized, he said, in bringing the names of the two former presidents into his remarks. "These criticisms have been greatly fostered by the public addresses of the two living ex-presidents of this country, both of whom I have the honor of knowing, and both of whom, in their personal characters, I highly respect," he declared. "I resent their criticism, not because I believe that courts more than any other human institution should be exempt from criticism, but because I think in both cases the criticism is unjustified."

Says T. H. A. Charge Unfounded

Colonel Roosevelt frequently has used what is known as the "Ives" case to illustrate what he contends was usurpation of power by the New York state court of appeals. This charge, Cullen said, was "wholly unfounded."

In a recent address before the American Bar association, Mr. Taft asserted that law breakers feared federal courts more than state courts, because law and justice more certainly prevail there than in state and county courts.

"I think it not necessary for the proper praise of the federal judiciary to indulge in aspersions on the state judiciary," Judge Cullen remarked in discussing the former president's remark. "That the court is reactionary, I deny," he continued. "That it is too slow, I admit, I assert that it will not otherwise it would usurp power not confided to it."

See million dollar doll. Asso. 'I'el. eve.

CUBAN WOMEN WANT VOTE

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Cuban women want the vote and are organizing, according to a letter received here by Mrs. Raymond Brown, president of the New York state suffrage association, who is asked to lend her name to the movement by becoming honorary president.

"We have raised the banner of suffrage here, with the name of the popular feminist with the idea of equality in the relation of the sexes and with peaceful intentions and legal procedure," the missive reads. The letter is dated Havana and is signed Emilia Perez Mossey.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Speaker Clark left his chair in the house yesterday to challenge the patriotism of "Calamity Howling" republicans, after Minority Leader Mann had made a speech picturing the country in the throes of business and industrial depression as a result of democratic tariff legislation.

As the "calamity howlers" in America," the speaker suggested Senator Root of New York, former Speaker Cannon, Chairman Hilges of the republican national committee, former Governor Bradley of Missouri and Representative Mann.

Defends Tariff Law

Vigorously defending the new tariff law, Mr. Clark declared that if there had been any hold-up in business it was simply because prudence was being exercised. He said the wish was the father of the thought with the republican leaders and suggested that it was strange that no one else had seen signs of falling prices.

"These men," continued Speaker Clark, "propose to get into the news-papers every day, that the country is going to the dogs and business is going to the dogs and people that never thought of a panic will begin to study about it. By such thinking men this will be considered a monstrous and unpardonable performance."

Mann's Gloomy View

Representative Mann had painted a gloomy picture of the country under the democratic tariff and the threat of political control of banking and currency. "Throughout the country today," he said, "wherever men are congregated there is that quiet discussion going on now which when cold weather strikes the country will end in a roar and a howl that will even penetrate the ears of the deaf statesmen on the democratic side of the aisle. Men with wives and children, willing to work, who were at work three months ago, are now seeking the opportunity. The president could do much towards relieving confidence if he would. The democratic side of this house could do much, but they are pursuing the fatuous policies which they have talked about on the stump so many years. We are not justified in keeping silence on the situation."

Power of Suggestion

Speaker Clark declared that the

panic of 1893 came on as a result of the McKinley bill, and that there was no truth in the "fossilized statement that calamity comes with the democrats and prosperity with the republicans."

"I've heard it said if a man starts down town and enough fellows tell him he is sick, he will get sick," said Mr. Clark. "That's what these fellows are doing. They are getting something in the papers every day about a calamity, and after a while if they keep up, they will make some people believe conditions are going to the dogs."

Speaker Clark said that there were two people whom he never talked to, but always questioned—James J. Hill, the railroad builder, and the Rev. Dr. John T. N. Johnson of Kansas City, a Baptist preacher, who had sense enough to make three or four million dollars.

He said Hill told him that he did not think there was going to be any panic in this country. Dr. Johnson, he added, told him that the currency bill would prevent all the money from drifting into New York city and break up gambling on the New York stock exchange as far as human ingenuity could control it. The speaker said next Monday or Tuesday the house would pass the currency bill. "Unless there is some contrary fellow here," he added, "we may pass it Saturday night and after it becomes a law the country will blossom like the rose."

Representative Mann suggested that what the country needs now is not so much money as orders for business. Speaker Clark retorted that the country was having plenty of orders, and that in his district the largest cement plant in the country was working 2800 men on three shifts of eight hours each.

GLYPTODONT PUT ON VIEW

Animal Lived About Half a Million Years Ago in Mexico—Skeleton Completely Stripped

A fossil skeleton of the glyptodont which roamed through Mexico in the early Pleistocene age, half a million years ago, has recently been mounted and placed on exhibition at the American Museum of Natural History. This specimen is considered the most nearly complete in the museum. It was found by Barnum Brown, the fossil hunter, while he was conducting an expedition through Mexico at the time

of the Madere revolution. He unearthed it in the Pleistocene gravel beds of the San Miguel ranch, about twelve miles west of Amecan in the state of Jalisco. The glyptodont was related to the ancient armadillo.

"The chief value of my discovery," said Barnum Brown, "is that this skeleton of the glyptodont completes a series of glyptodonts ranging from Patagonia through Argentina and as far north as Mexico. The glyptodont was about seven feet long and was about four feet in height. The glyptodont was a herb eater.

After digging out the carapace of the glyptodont in the gravel beds of the Amecan valley region the next problem was that of transportation. It was about twelve miles from the gravel beds to the town of Amecan, and the specimen weighed more than four hundred pounds. A native mail carrier was pressed into service, and after the glyptodont had been carried by eight teams from the bad lands to the point where the road began the fossil was transported in a Mexican mail wagon to Amecan for shipment to New York.

Before the discovery of the glyptodont now in the American museum there were two other specimens known in Mexico. One was in the National Museum of Natural History and the National School of Engineers, Mexico City.

"It is a curious coincidence," said Barnum Brown, "that the range of distribution of this type of animal covers the territory influenced by the Spanish tongue in the Americas. In the opinion of the explorer, further prospecting in the Mexican fossil fields would yield interesting results."

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Jeanette B. Jilison, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased: Whereas John J. Pickman, the administrator of said estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the first day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

MORTGAGOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John A. Tyrrell to the Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, dated April 15, 1893, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 506, Page 234, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of January, 1914, at 3:30 p. m., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: Three certain lots of land situated in Lowell, Middlesex County, Massachusetts and thus bounded and described: (1) A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Lowell on the westerly side of Lawrence street and thus bounded: Beginning on the westerly side of said Lawrence street at the southeasterly corner of the premises at a stone bound at land formerly of one Welch; thence westerly on said Welch land 50 feet to a bound at land conveyed by Timothy Sullivan to Henry F. Abbott; thence northerly on said last named land 23.77 feet to a spike in the ground at the center of a passageway which is forever to be kept open for the use of the abutters thereon; thence at an angle of 30° easterly along said passageway 30 feet to a spike in the ground at said Lawrence street; thence at an angle of 80° 13' southerly on said Lawrence street 25.33 feet to a stone bound at the point of beginning. Containing 1227.5 feet, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said Tyrrell by John A. Tyrrell by deed dated April 1, 1892, recorded with said Deeds, Book 235, Page 110. Said lot is situated in the rear of the above described lot.

(2) A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Richmond avenue in said Lowell (described in said mortgage as situate on Chase street in said Lowell), containing 162.03 square feet, more or less, and thus bounded: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the granted premises and at the northwesterly corner of land conveyed by William Heiderman to John Butland by deed dated March 11, 1882, recorded with said Deeds, Book 151, Page 222; thence easterly on said last mentioned land 18 feet more or less to the second lot above described; thence northerly 43.24 feet to land of one Welch; thence westerly on said last mentioned land 18 feet to said Richmond avenue; thence southerly on said Richmond avenue 14.75 feet to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Tyrrell by Peter J. Brady by deed dated March 27, 1884, recorded with said Deeds, Book 151, Page 218.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, assessments and taxes, if any there are.

Terms: \$200 cash to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at sale.

The Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, mortgagee and present owner of said mortgage.

By CHARLES H. CLOUGTON,

Treasurer.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 18, 1913.

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DIVORCE TO WED MONEY

COUPLE AGREED TO SEPARATE, MARRY WEALTHY PERSONS, AND LATER REUNITE

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—When Frank B. Severance, a Washington street storekeeper, and his wife, Florence Severance, decided to part last June, they secured a divorce and at the same time made a vow that each would marry a rich old person, if possible, and that in later years they would marry again, when each was freed by time and nature.

That Mrs. Severance will at least marry a rich old gentleman now seems probable, for Charles Jenkins, aged 75, a wealthy real estate dealer with offices at 52 Tremont street, yesterday filed a marriage intention to wed her. She is 22 years younger than Jenkins and resides with her 14 year old daughter, Miss Dorothy Severance, at 350 Massachusetts avenue.

He Held Mortgage

Last year, when Mrs. Severance and her husband agreed to get a divorce they had been married 30 years. Shortly after the separation she mortgaged her house at 25 Rutland square and by so doing first met her husband-to-be, Jenkins, who held the mortgage. The acquaintance developed into a love affair, which resulted in their engagement.

Jenkins recently bought the house and Mrs. Severance and her daughter moved to their present home on Massachusetts avenue.

Jenkins, who resides in a brownstone mansion at 547 Beacon street, has already been married for 40 years, death claiming his wife a short while ago. When interviewed last night he stated that he did not know when the marriage would take place as the date had not been decided. He said he was rather uncertain as to whether it would ever take place, but that he supposed it would. He would not discuss the plans for the wedding.

Frank B. Severance, the former husband of Mrs. Severance, said last night that he was surprised to hear of the intended wedding. The divorce, he stated, was brought about by a mutual agreement between him and his wife. He and his wife were still on good terms, he declared, and said that he wished her the best of luck. Mrs. Severance and her daughter could not be located last evening.

TO STOP HIGH COST OF BACON

British Board of Agriculture Seeks to Produce a "Standard Porker"

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Bacon is at something like 35 cents a pound. It is so dear that an organized effort is to be made to increase the "pig population," which has fallen to almost as low a pitch in England as can be remembered.

A scheme is being drawn up for the board of agriculture by which it is hoped to restore the pig once more to the exalted position of "the gentleman that pays the rent." It is hoped to set up bacon factories in a great many districts, somewhat on the model of the Hichin factory established largely through the generosity and initiative of Lord Lucas. The practical farmers who are outlining a scheme to make these factories possible will recommend the production of what may be called a "standard porker." If a "good level pig" can be produced to type by farmers, the factory ought to pay well and the farmer get both good and quick returns. According to the description

of one enthusiast, we may see "flocks of 'good level pigs' grazing on the clovers like sheep and looking as uniform."

PAIGE STREET CHURCH

SCENE OF SUPPER, SALE AND ENTERTAINMENT — MONEY WHEELED CONTRIBUTES \$120

A supper, sale and entertainment constituted the attraction at Paige street church last night. Those in charge of the supper and kitchen were Mrs. Geo. Cole, Mrs. George Libby, Mrs. E. A. Thibault, Mrs. A. T. Green, Mrs. Margaret Hardy, Mrs. Winters, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. O. P. Sanders, Miss Bell, Mrs. Fred Cole, Miss Mary O'Brien, Mrs. Isaac Poirer, Mrs. George Cross and Mrs. M. H. Lighton.

The supper was followed by an excellent entertainment, in charge of Mrs. Harry Chandler, and including piano selections by Miss Olga Sargent and songs and readings by Mr. Coulshaw of Boston.

One of the principal features of the evening was the report of a wheel recently organized for raising church money. This wheel, in charge of Mrs. W. E. Hatch, consisted of 10 spokes. Each spoke comprised 10 members. Each member was asked to obtain \$1. This would make a total of \$100 for the wheel.

When the reports were read, however, it was found that the amount totaled \$120. The captains of each spoke were as follows: Mrs. George Cole, Mrs. E. F. Munn, Mrs. Orville Brown, Mrs. Laura Howard, Miss Blanche Libby, Mrs. M. O. Bateholder, Mrs. W. E. Hatch and Mrs. W. Brown.

Sales were conducted during the evening by three tables. The Enrich club had charge of the fancy table, with the following in charge: Mrs. Leon Brown, Mrs. B. R. Harris, Mrs. Della Sanders, Mrs. W. A. Chase, Mrs. Edna Worcester, Mrs. Frank Marshall, Mrs. David Donaldson, Mrs. Herbert Cogswell, Miss Eva Pratt, Miss Cora Wilson, Miss Alice Kendall, Mrs. Maud Chandler, Miss Florence Knowlton, Mrs. A. J. Brown and Mrs. N. S. Phillips. The W. T. W. club had charge of the candy and Christmas novelty tables. The former was under Miss Alice Kendall, Mrs. E. O. Dutton and Mrs. George Dutton, while the latter was attended by Misses Irene and Elsie Kitchredge, Mrs. M. O. Bateholder, the teacher of the class.

100 FOOT PETITION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A petition signed by 4500 employees of the National Tube Co., a subsidiary of the United States Steel corporation, protesting against the government's dissolution bill, was presented to the senate by Senator Burton. It made a roll of over a hundred feet.

YOU WANT
TODAY'S NEWS
Not Yesterday's News
THAT IS WHY YOU WANT
THE SUN

THE INSURANCE RATES

MAY BE LOWERED BY INVESTIGATION OF NATIONAL BOARD OF FIRE WRITERS

Secretary John H. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade has received a letter from Chairman George W. Booth of the Fire Underwriters' National Board of Fire Underwriters, stating that the board will visit this city within a few months for the purpose of investigating the conditions here to see if a reduction in the insurance rates is possible.

Some time ago the board of trade committee on fire prevention wrote to the national board of fire underwriters, pointing out to them the improvements in the local fire and water department during the past few years and also mentioned the fact that Lowell had carried out a number of the recommendations that were made by the board when the last inspection was made in the year 1905. The recent change in the fire alarm system was also considered an important factor.

The letter to Mr. Murphy reads as follows:

Dec. 15, 1913.
Mr. John H. Murphy, Secretary,
Board of Trade, Lowell, Mass.
Dear Sir:—Referring further to our correspondence of about a month ago, we beg to advise that the question of a reinspection of the city of Lowell was referred to our committee on fire prevention at its meeting last Thursday, and it was voted that such reinspection which it could be conveniently arranged for.

We could probably do this about the first of February, but an important part of our inspection consists of tests of fire engines and of tests to determine the adequacy of the water supply available, which a reinspection is more difficult to arrange for in cold weather. We should, therefore, until the inspection, therefore, be more favorable, and unless there is some urgent need for an early report, we will arrange to defer this inspection until March or April. Will you kindly advise us as to your opinion in this matter?

Yours very truly,
Geo. W. Booth,
Chief Engineer.

FOR FIRE PREVENTION

Circular Issued By Fire Commissioner
Cole of Boston on Fire Prevention

Charles H. Cole, fire commissioner in Boston, has issued a warning to the citizens of the Hub for fire prevention, which if followed to the letter may also be of great assistance to the residents of this city. This warning is for Christmas time but the advice therein contained will prove very valuable at all times.

The paper is as follows:

Window Decorations
Paper, cotton batting or light fabrics of any kind should never be used in decorating stores or store windows unless they have been dipped in a solution to render them non-inflammable. An efficient fireproof solution is made up of phosphate of ammonia in the proportion of four ounces to a quart of water.

Show windows should be ventilated. Spontaneous combustion may be expected if this precaution is overlooked.

Lighting
Gas lights should be protected by a globe, chimney, screen or smoke shield and all combustible material should be kept away from such flame. Adjustable, flexible or swinging gas fixtures should not be used. Do not dress electric light globes in paper petticoats, as the heat is sufficient to start a blaze.

The placing of lighted candles along the window sashes, while a very beautiful custom, is also a very dangerous one from the standpoint of fire. Whenever this is done the candles should never be left to burn unwatched, and pans of tin or zinc should be placed beneath them to catch the drippings. Great care should be taken to keep the draperies and curtains away from the flame.

Department Stores
Chemical fire extinguishers should be placed in convenient locations for quick use in case of fire. Do not pile merchandise around extinguishers. Have pails of sand and pails of water handy.

Put up "No Smoking" signs. These will be furnished upon request by this department.

Every employee should be taught exactly what to do in the event of fire. This is highly important.

At All Assemblages
In schools, churches and halls or wherever children or grown folks gather to celebrate, unusual precautions should be taken by those in charge.

Exits should be marked with red lights and kept free and clear. Sheet iron or zinc should be placed under every Christmas tree to catch candle drippings.

Sand, water or fire extinguishers should be kept in the most convenient place for instant use.

Every Santa Claus costume of flannel or other quickly burning material with its cotton batting trimmings and its false beard and wig, should be dipped in fireproof solution.

Don't trim Christmas trees with cotton batting or paper or similar materials. The dry tree is too dangerous. Watch the candles and be especially careful in making electric light connections.

See that several basins or pails are filled with water and kept in the kitchen. Water may be needed in a great hurry.

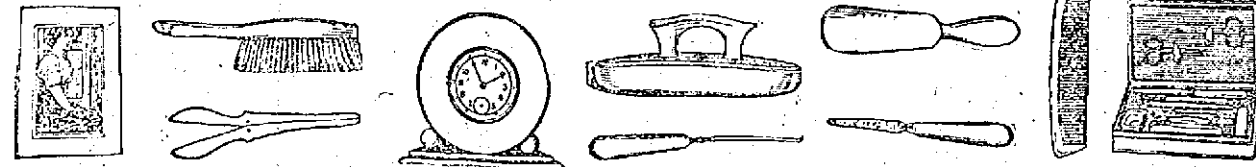
Keep a soft rug or blanket handy. If a person's clothing takes fire, the very first thing to do is to throw that person down. This changes the direction of the flame and saves face, neck and lungs. The rug, blanket or coat, then, is next. Tuck it around the body to exclude the air.

Keep curtains, cushion and similar materials at least two feet away from gas jets.

Practical Gifts AT THE RIKER-JAYNES STORE

CHRISTMAS will soon be here, and the pertinent question many are asking themselves is, "What shall I give?" We call attention to this advertisement to gifts appropriate for every member of the family—not useless ones such as are so many times bought by many who cannot seem to find just the right article, but useful gifts that will be appreciated by the recipient. Our space for holiday gifts is so limited that we have room only for the best and most desirable. Every article we have placed in our stocks for holiday trade has been purchased by us with this idea in view. Below we mention a few that we are sure cannot fail to please those who are looking for something of first-class quality and thoroughly warranted by us in every respect.

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Direct from Loonen of Paris—Parisian Ivory toilet articles are growing in favor every year. There is a richness about them pleasing to every lover of what is beautiful in this line. We are very large handlers of Parisian Ivory, our import order being one of the largest—if not the largest—sent them from America. Our assortment is the largest to be found anywhere—our prices are the lowest. We call attention to:

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Nail Polishers.....98c to 1.69	Soap Boxes.....29c to 1.69	Combs.....1.49 to 1.69	Cotton Boxes.....2.98
Cloth Brushes.....38c to 3.29	Pin Cushions.....2.49 to 2.89	Hand Mirrors.....1.49 to 6.79	Glove Stretchers.....1.49
Hat Brushes.....79c to 1.89	Salve Boxes.....69c to 1.32	Clocks.....2.29 to 6.39	Shoe Hooks.....59c
Bonnet Brushes.....1.19 to 1.89	Bonnet or Millinery Mirrors, 6.39 to 7.79	Hair Receivers.....2.98 to 4.23	Corn Knife.....98c to 1.98
		Toilet Trays.....2.98 to 6.79	Nail Files.....59c
		Shaving Stick Boxes.....83c	

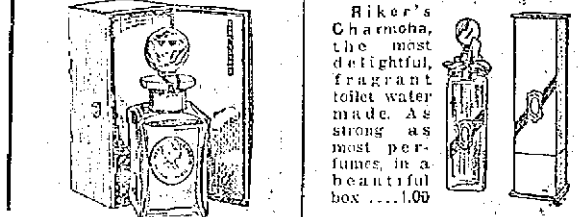
PERFUMES

A gift of perfume expresses good taste and refinement and will make a favorable impression on all lovers of fine toilet requisites.

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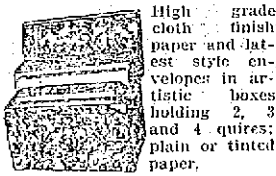
If you ask us to recommend the choicest and most popular of all we will mention the productions of V. Rigaud of Paris—today recognized as the world's greatest perfumer—the originator of the celebrated perfume, Mary Garden.

PARFUM MARY GARDEN



1/2 oz.....\$1.00	Riker's Seville Violet.....50c
1 oz.....\$2.00	Roger & Gallet's Violette de Parme.....75c
Large cut glass stoppered bottle in satin lined case.....\$4	Houbigant's Ideal.....4.50
Other Rigaud Productions:	Coty's Rose Jacqueminot.....2.50
Geraldine Farrar or Carolina White, large bottle.....4.50	Colgate's Violet.....50c
1 ounce.....2.00	Hugobon's Vio Sec.....75c
1/2 ounce.....1.00	Piver's Azura.....84c
Emma Tientin, large bot. 2.50	Riker's Excelsis Vio.....75c
Martine Chantal, large bot. 7.50	Riker's Incensia.....75c
1 ounce.....2.00	
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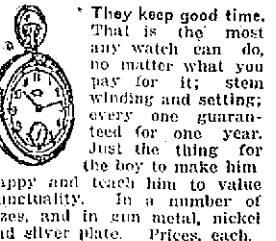
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Fancy Holiday Cases—Containing an assortment of pencils, penholders, erasers, pencil sharpeners, rubber bands, etc. For a lady's or gentleman's desk; appropriate both for the house and for the office. Prices from 25c to 50c Each

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We have a complete stock of the celebrated Thermos Bottles. When they were first placed on the market they were considered a luxury; now they are recognized as a necessity in every home—nothing more suitable for a Christmas gift than one of these bottles.

Thermos Bottles.....\$1.00 up
Thermos Carafes.....\$2.50 up
Thermos Cases.....\$1.00 up
Thermos Jars.....\$1.25 up
Thermos Coffee Pots.....\$5.00
Thermos Decanters.....\$5.00
Thermos Flasks.....\$5.00
Thermos Cups.....75c up

Ladies' Hand Bags



A very attractive one, made of fine quality genuine morocco in seal and straight grain, each bag containing a mirror and pocketbook to match the bag. The kind regularly retailed at 98c from \$1.25 to \$1.50 each

98c

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Direct importations from the celebrated Kestner Doll Factory in Germany—the finest and most famous in the world. Just the kind so much sought after by those who desire a beautiful small doll for dressing up. Handsome—long light and dark hair, and in from five inches to eight inches in length. Each

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We have a splendid assortment of the most desirable kinds—Teddy Bears, Cats, Dogs, etc.—in various sizes and colors. Prices from 59c to \$7.50

49c Up

FLASH LIGHTS

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Lung Protectors and Chamois Jackets

Lung Protectors—Felt and Chamois.....43c to 1.92

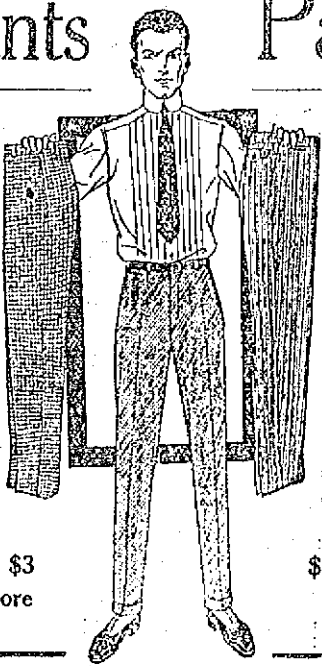
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DANBURY HATTERS' CASE

Judgment of \$272,000 for Plaintiffs in Famous Case That Has Been Before Courts for Years

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The United States court of appeals yesterday decided the famous Danbury hatters' case in favor of D. E. Loewe & Co., the plaintiffs, and against the United Hatters of North America. The court affirmed a judgment in favor of Mr. Loewe and against the hatters' organization for \$272,000.

Applies Anti-Trust Act

Sustaining the second judgment, Judge Clegg declared that it was not longer debatable that "the anti-trust act is applicable to such combinations as are alleged in the complaint," and that the act made no distinction between classes of combinations or individuals.

The court held that it had been clearly established that the plaintiffs were engaged in an interstate business, and that the defendants are members of a trades union and affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, "one of the objects of the latter organization being to assist its members in any 'justifiable boycott' and with financial help in the event of a strike or lock-out."

It was shown in the trial that in March, 1901, the United Hatters had resolved to unionize the factory of the plaintiffs, and that Mr. Loewe had been informed by the union officials that the hatters "would resort to the usual methods" in case their plan should meet with opposition. On July 5, 1902, the plaintiffs' employees were directed

to go on strike, and it is claimed that almost immediately a boycott was established. The plaintiffs assert this measure "converted a profit of \$27,000 in 1901, into losses ranging from \$17,000 in 1902 to \$3000 in 1904."

Judge Clegg said in conclusion of his finding: "No one disputes the proposition that labor unions are lawful. All must admit that they are not only lawful but highly beneficial when legally and fairly conducted, but like all other combinations, irrespective of their objects and purposes, they must obey the law."

IN COURTS 12 YEARS

Of the 240 Original Hatters' Union Defendants 30 Have Died and Two Have Gone Insane

DANBURY, Conn., Dec. 19.—The so-called Danbury hatters' case has been before the courts for more than 10 years. Once it was before the United States supreme court. Of the 240 original defendants, more than 30 have since died and two have gone insane. The American Federation of Labor supported the hatters and prominent labor officials, including Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, gave testimony at some of the trials.

A walkout of union hatters employed by D. E. Loewe & Co. in 1902 was the beginning of the case. The factory up to that time, and since, had been conducted on a non-union basis. In 1903 D. E. Loewe & Co. brought suit against Martin Lawlor and 239 other members of the Hatters' union, alleging boy-

cott in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, in that interstate commerce was restrained. The company alleged that its business had been seriously injured by the boycott and claimed \$250,000 damages.

Soon after the suit was brought the American Federation of Labor decided to stand behind the defendants and to reimburse them against loss. The anti-boycott society of America supported the plaintiffs, so the litigation in reality developed into a legal battle between these two organizations.

After many delays the case was assigned for trial in the United States district court, but was not then tried, being taken to the supreme court of the United States for interpretation. In February, 1908, the supreme court handed down a decision in effect that the allegations constituted a violation of the Sherman law. In October of the following year trial was begun before the United States district court at Hartford. After a trial of 17 weeks, the jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiff of \$74,000. Judge Pratt, now deceased, awarded triple damages in accordance with the Sherman law, so that, with costs, the total amount was \$232,310.

This verdict was set aside by the court of appeals and a new trial ordered. Judge Martin of Vermont heard the second trial in the United States district court at Hartford, and on Oct. 11, 1912 the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff of \$50,000 and costs, the amount being trebled, according to law.

The case was appealed again and arguments were heard in New York last month.

CAR LIGHTING PROBLEM

IS NOT A VERY EASY ONE—REFLECTOR MUST BE PROVIDED WITH SPECIAL APPLIANCES

Those who complain of the methods commonly used for lighting street cars must realize that a car is one of the most difficult interiors to light properly. In the first place, aside from all difficulties which reside in the proper supporting of the lamps, the physical conditions present about the maximum of difficulty from an illuminating standpoint. A street car is long and narrow with insufficient head room for the easy placing of fixtures, with seats generally running lengthwise and with sides mostly composed of windows through which the light may stream unobstructed unless they are covered by dark curtains, which makes the matter all the better. Besides this, it has been customary to give the interior woodwork of street cars a rather dark finish. We have, therefore, to deal with what is practically a long and narrow room with little or no diffusion from the wall surface, and we are expected to give good light at least along the two sides without placing lights where they will shine in the eyes of the passengers. The obstacles in the way of meeting the requirements are very great, and it is small wonder that results have been often unsatisfactory.

The present increasing use of the draw-wire tungsten lamp has given greater promise of successful car lighting than has ever been in sight before, and recent experiments show that excellent results are thus obtained. There seems to be little doubt that the best method is center-deck lighting where the lights are in a single row at the rear of the car. In this position the lights are above the heads even of standing passengers and in good position to throw the light

Sample Garments



Made up this season for window display. Sixteen Coats in all, with Pants and Vests to match; colors in blue, brown, gray and pencil stripes; two and three button single-breasted sacks; three double-breasted sacks; and five overcoats.

This sale occurs twice each year—July and December. When I have no more of the good to show a customer, I dispose of the sample garment. If I have your size, while they last, YOUR CHOICE—

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All ends in stock, regardless of manufacturer's price, cost of production or labor—I mean where there is enough goods for one garment only—I will make it to your measure, any end—

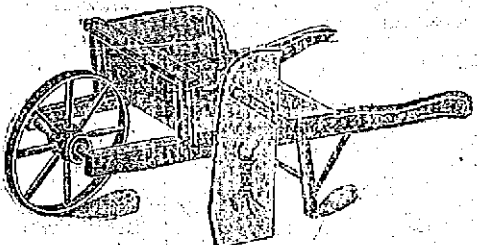
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And Felt Juliets. Regu-
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With case, Men's and
Women's, **\$1.50**
BOYS' SLIPPERS
And Juliets, black and
tan, **\$1.00**

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SLIPPERS AND
ROMEOS
Felt, and kid, black and
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For men, women and
children, **75c to \$3**
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50c
BATH SLIPPERS
Men's and women's in all
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downward along the two lines of seats at a very effective angle. Furthermore, lights in this position mean greater simplicity and lower cost in the wiring, to say nothing of lessened general maintenance and the easy possibility of using larger tungsten lamps and hence lamps with stouter filaments and more resistant to shock. Ordinary glass reflectors of the kinds which have proved highly efficient in general illuminating work are well suited to car work, but they must be provided with special appliances to prevent their jarring loose and falling on the heads of the passengers. Suitable holders have been devised to meet this requirement. The reflectors themselves, whatever the material, must be such as give a medium angle of distribution, and this type is fortunately the one most easily made in a variety of shapes and textures. Whatever the reflectors, they ought to be deep enough to prevent the lamp filament from being too much in evidence.—Electric Railway Journal.

WANT UNIFORM LAWS

Sealers of Weights and Measures Hear Pleas For Standard Regulations

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The annual banquet of the Massachusetts Sealers' association took place at the Revere House last evening, about 100 members and their guests being in attendance.

Pres. Thure Hanson was the toastmaster, and the guests included Pres. A. P. Lee of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange, Senator-elect Charles W. Eldridge of Somerville, Senator-elect Arthur Phelps of Greenfield, Deputy State Sealer Levi S. Pennell of Maine and Sealer Billow of Manchester, N. H.

Musie by an orchestra, vocal solos and singing by the company were provided.

Col. August P. Goetting spoke at the afternoon session of the association's annual convention in Ford hall. He told the sealers that, as they stood between the produce dealers and the public, they could do much to lower the cost of living and give the public a "square deal."

At the morning session these officers were elected: Commissioner of Weights and Measures Thure Hanson, president; Charles B. Wolley, John H. Dussault, P. E. Hornberg and J. V. Brogan, vice-presidents; A. S. K. Clark, secretary-treasurer; James H. Sweeney, Charles P. Murray and C. W. Shippy, executive committee.

Commissioner Hanson spoke of the low salaries paid sealers in some places in this state. He explained the importance of having accurate scales for apothecaries and jewelers and accurate measures for surveyors. He urged uniform laws regarding weights and measures.

Other speakers were Deputy Sealer Pennell of Maine, Sealer Billow of Manchester, Sealer Bowen of Springfield, and John Connors of Cambridge. Mr. Connors proposed National legislation for uniform laws.

SOLD TO HAVERHILL BANK

Six-story Block to Be Built on Merrimack Street—Office Structure at Merrill's Court

HAVERHILL, Dec. 19.—One of the largest real estate deals in the history of the city was completed yesterday when papers were signed for the sale of the property at the corner of Merrimack and Emerson streets by the Dicknell estate of Lawrence to the Haverhill National bank.

James R. Simpson and D. C. Smith, trustees of the Dicknell estate, and Walter Coulson bought all the property bounded by Emerson and Merrimack streets and Merrill's court five years ago from the A. A. Sargent estate and

plans had been drawn when leases expired for an eight-story office building.

Since the fire two weeks ago at Merrimack and Emerson streets negotiations have been on for the purchase of that property and the papers were signed yesterday, the Haverhill National bank having arranged for banking offices on the ground floor of a six-story brick building which it will build. The property is 44 by 61 feet and is assessed for \$45,000 and the purchase price is said to be \$75,000.

Negotiations are also practically completed for the sale of adjoining property on Emerson street by the John Dimeon estate to the Haverhill National bank, which will give the bank a site with 44 feet frontage on Merrimack street and 56 on Emerson street. An outlay of \$100,000 is con-

templated in the erection of the brick block.

The Dicknell estate trustees also announced yesterday they will proceed at once with the erection of its contemplated six-story office building at the corner of Merrimack street and Merrill's court, an outlay of \$150,000 being involved.

DROP OF 20 DEGREES

Boston, Dec. 19.—A drop of nearly 20 degrees in the temperature between yesterday noon and midnight, due to a cool northwest wind, brought to an end a warm wave that had established a new weather record for Boston. The excess of heat over normal thus far this year has reached a total of 1219 degrees, making this year 1913 the warmest Boston has known since the establishment of the weather bureau.

The Useful Gift is the Most Acceptable Gift After All

Sensible gifts will prevail this Christmas and there will be more of the kind of goods we sell, bought for gift giving than ever before. We can help you with your selection of articles that will be a pleasure for you to give as well as for others to receive.



TOILET REQUISITES

Manicure Sets, \$1.98 up
Toilet Sets, 98c to \$15.00
Perfumes, 25c to \$8.00 a bot.



Shaving Gifts

Safety Razors, 25c to \$25.00
Shaving Brushes, 25c up
Shaving Sets, 98c up



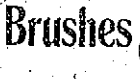
Cigars

Boxes of 12, 50c up
Boxes of 25, 90c to \$4.00
Boxes of 50, \$2.00 to \$7.50
Boxes of 100, \$4.00 to \$9.00



Buy Her

A Box of Page & Shaw's Candy, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50



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POLICE COURT CASES

Man With Dangerous Weapon Said He Was Prepared for Police Chief of Concord

What came very near being a stabbing affair occurred yesterday morning at City Hall square. John Gleason was charged with assault and battery upon Demosthenes Antonopoulos and the details of the case all came out in the trial.

The first scene in the case was laid at the first in Police and Lefebvre's store on Merrimack street. A party consisting of the defendant and four men who worked with him were taking a look at the rules when Gleason accidentally tripped into the defendant. The defendant was roundly abused and also grabbed by the coat. The defendant and the complainant both left the store at about the same time and came down Merrimack street on the same side of the street. When near to city hall Gleason crossed to the opposite side and the complainant followed.

Gleason said that he hit the complainant when he saw him thrust his hand into his coat pocket and pull out a knife. As soon as he was struck the complainant opened the knife and charged Gleason around in a circle for several minutes. Judge Enright decided that the defendant acted in self-defense and discharged him.

When the case of John Alster was called one of the most picturesque defendants that the local court has seen

this year stood in the dock and pleaded not guilty to the charges of drunkenness and carrying a concealed weapon.

The defendant's face was covered with a thick matted black beard. Officer Daniel Lynch testified that he arrested the defendant on Chelmsford street last night about 10 o'clock. Alster was walking along the street, said the officer, in a drunken condition, swinging a small leather satchel very recklessly.

After the arrest, the officer said that Alster attempted to strike him with the satchel. Wagon Officer Prawley told the court that the man had opened the satchel and drawn out a 45 calibre revolver. Although the revolver was not loaded, a full box of cartridges was found in the satchel.

The defendant was called to the stand and put through a rigid cross-examination by Supt. Welch. Alster said that he had lived in Acton for 12 years.

The secret of the defendant's strange actions was soon explained when he was questioned with regard to the possession of the revolver. Alster said Chief of Police Craig of Concord, Mass. had threatened to kill him and that he was carrying the revolver so as to be prepared for him.

This last statement of the defendant was enough to flound the man as defendant.

erous. His case was continued until next Monday in order to give the physicians a chance to examine him.

Louis P. Leclair and Michael J. Casey were charged with drunkenness and also with disturbing the peace. The two defendants had an argument last night and resorted to primitive methods in order to reach a settlement. Middlesex street was the place of the encounter and Officer Prawley, seeing that the pair had no referee took them to the station. A fine of \$5 each, a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction for Leclair for drunkenness and a fine of \$1 for Casey disposed of the case.

John Dinkel was found on Davidson street by Officer Maloney in a drunken condition. It was his third offence and he was sent to jail for three months. Mary Hony was found drinking and making life merry with a party of gay companions. The officer also said that Mary was smoking a cigar when he arrested her. She was sent to jail for three months.

Patrick J. McGinn was charged with drunkenness and his wife told the court that he was not an ideal husband. He does not give his family enough money to support three children. Patrick gave him a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction. Michael Ryan was fined \$5 for his second offence for drunkenness.

Mary E. Smith made her third appearance for drunkenness this morning and Officer Maloney gave her a suspended sentence. She was sent to the women's reformatory at Sherborn. Charles McGilligan, a fourth offender, was ordered committed to the state farm. Mary Bradbury was fined \$5 for drunkenness.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK JAIL

LONDON PRISON WALL DAMAGED BY EXPLOSION OF BOMBS ATTRIBUTED TO SUFRAGETTES

LONDON, Dec. 15.—An attempt, attributed to suffragettes, was made last night to blow up part of the southeast wall of Holloway jail by the explosion of two bombs. These are believed to have been secreted in the garden of a house adjoining the jail. The part of the wall attacked was near the cells in which suffragettes are usually confined.

Miss Rachel Peace, who is undergoing a term of 15 months' imprisonment for "riotous" behavior, is the only suffragette in jail. It is alleged that she has been subjected to degrading treatment and recent militant meetings angry references were made to her treatment, coupled with threats of revenge.

The explosion did no damage to the jail, but the surrounding high wall where it abuts on the garden at 12 Dalmeida avenue was so badly damaged that it will need rebuilding.

No arrests have been made and apparently there are no clues of the culprits, but it is said the house has been occupied recently by a Mrs. Patey, an ardent militant, and has been utilized as a rendezvous for suffragettes to signal to the inmates of the prison. The force of the explosions shattered some of the windows in the neighborhood.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

STANDARD OIL CO.

Bans Mexico—No Interest in Country Since the Rule of Diaz

The importance of the oil producing industry of Mexico is indicated by careful reports on the subject made by the U. S. Geological survey. Those reports show little or no interest of the Standard Oil Company in Mexico in 1911 and 1912, and this finding fits in with rumors often published that the Standard Oil Company had been against the Diaz regime.

According to the geological survey's report of 1912, 95 per cent. of the oil produced in Mexico was handled by one concern—the Doherty interests of the United States said to have headquarters in California, and the Pearson syndicate of which Lord Cowdray, formerly Sir Westman Pearson, is head. The Pearson operates through the Compania Mexicana de Petroleo (M. P.), a producing, refining and selling company, with headquarters near Tuxpan, known as the Eagle Oil Company, the Mexican Eagle Transportation Company, with a fleet of tank steamers, built or in process of building, of 200,000 tons cargo capacity, and Anglo-Mexican Petroleum Products Company, an export sales corporation.

The Doherty interests are concerned with all phases of the industry except refining and selling to the ultimate consumer. They operate through the Mexican Petroleum Company of Brown, Limited, which owns the Mexican, Huasteca, Tuxpan, and Tanchu Petroleum companies, all producers and marketers, and the Petroleum Transport Company of Mexico, with a fleet of oil tankers of 37,000 tons capacity.

The Waters-Pierce Oil Company, once a subsidiary in Texas of the Standard Oil company, is mentioned in the report chiefly as a purchaser from the producing companies, though in 1911 the company itself went into the producing business in Mexico. In the Topala district, not far from Tampico, a well-known Washington lawyer, who was counsel for the Waters-Pierce company, received \$50,000 in gold from President Diaz. Another day the president took office and this lawyer is now the local adviser of the constitutionalists.

The production of oil became a great industry just about the time the revolutionary movement gained its greatest impetus. In 1907 the total output was only about 1,000,000 barrels. In 1910 the output had increased to only 3,500,000 barrels, but in 1911 it jumped to 14,000,000 barrels and the next year it amounted to 16,555,000. Since then, according to the Geological survey, the output has been rising steadily. The tanking capacity of the steamships engaged, though political disturbances have interfered so far that most of the wells are capped to prevent the flow of oil.

"Oil companies by the score," says the Geological survey, "are flocking to the hinterland of Tampico and Tuxpan, sought and obtained land holdings during the year 1911, and their operations will be factors of the succeeding annual period. One of the features of interest, with the greatest oil well drilled in the world. The other constitutes the Doherty interests.

The stimulus given to the Mexican oil trade by the development of the great Rodgers (Doherty) field at the end of 1910 turned the energy of large companies from the pursuit of petroleum pools to the work of marketing a product embarrassing to have.

Fifty cents a barrel is thought to be a fair valuation to put upon the Mexican oil; so the output for 1912 was worth something more than \$8,000,000 in gold. At this valuation, according to reports to the state department, the oil now stored at Tuxpan and Tampico is worth about \$5,000,000. At Tampico are tanked about 12,000,000 barrels, and at Tuxpan about 5,000,000.

SHOWERS OF BOMBS

SPANISH AVIATORS RAIN BOMBS ON MOORS AND GUIDE TROOPS, WHO ROUTE TRIDEMEN

MADRID, Dec. 15.—A large force of Moorish tribesmen was routed with heavy loss yesterday by the Spanish troops at Muley Abeslam, Spanish Morocco. Spanish military aviators threw them into disorder with showers of bombs.

The Spaniards attacked the Moors with a brigade of sharpshooters, a battalion of infantry, four batteries of artillery and a large body of native auxiliaries.

When the order for the general advance of the Spanish column was given, the advance guard discovered several thousand Moorish mountaineers concealed in the irregularities of the ground.

A battery of military aviators was sent up to reconnoitre. By means of flares, the aviators guided the troops.

The aviators went up almost out of range of rifle fire and flew here and there about the places where the Moors were in the greatest numbers. Then they delivered what the despatch to the Spanish war office described as a "veritable rain of bombs tossed by the aviators in the midst of the Moors."

After this bombardment the Spanish infantry charged with the bayonet and dislodged the Moors from their positions, causing them to flee in great disorder, leaving large numbers of dead and wounded on the field.

The Spanish troops also lost a considerable number of men, as the rifle fire of the tribesmen was very accurate.

LITTLE FACT STORIES

A curious medium of exchange in Scotland not many years ago was hand made nails. This is quoted by Switzerland, where eggs are still current coin. Eggs would be rather risky coin to deposit in the bank for several reasons, but not so wheat and oats, which have been used for all purposes of sale and purchase in Norway and have even been banked. The national coin of Mexico is maize, and not very long ago formed the chief money of that republic.

In the time of our grandfathers tobacco was used almost exclusively in Virginia instead of gold and silver. In Newfoundland dried codfish was at one time a great medium of exchange. It had the advantage of keeping indefinitely, and it is said that the Newfoundland midget got as much pleasure from the odor of his possession as

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Pure Sugar Stick Candy, 1-lb. box
Fenway Chocolate, Cherry Cocktails, box 25c to 50c



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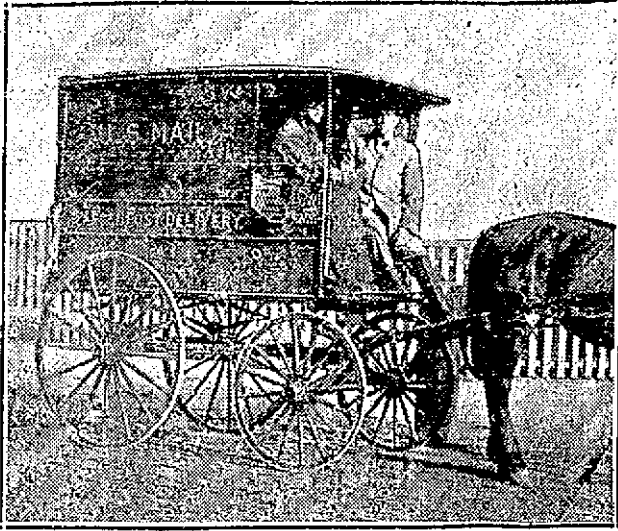


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THE NEW PARCELS POST DELIVERY WAGON AT THE POST OFFICE

Great Demands on Parcels Post Departments—New Wagon Put on—Light Auto May be Used

The Christmas business at the Lowell postoffice this year bids fair to outstrip that of any previous year in the history of the office, according to the way the mail is coming in at the present time. For the past two weeks the Christmas mail matter has been exceptionally large, and the people have followed the advice to mail their gifts early to insure prompt and safe delivery.

The steady stream is being kept up with increased activity, however, and has placed a great strain upon the various departments. Extra men have been called to handle the rush and these with the regular men have been working constantly in an effort to deliver all parcels on time. Naturally the mail will be heavier during the first three days of next week but Postmaster Crowley has made all arrangements to take care of the rush and the extra

force will prevent the piling up of packages or other matter.

Parcels Post Business

Considerable work has been done at the local office in preparation for the holiday business, and it is believed that all letters and parcels will be taken care of without any unnecessary delay. Of course this is the first Christmas for the parcels post system and as some of the packages are of considerable size much space has had to be laid out for this department. A large room in the basement of the office has been cleared and the necessary equipment installed so that no matter how heavy the business may be it can be handled in a way that will not affect the other employees in the least. A window has been opened near the main entrance to the building and this will be used exclusively for parcels post business.

Extra quarters have also been secured for the substitute carriers, and a number of mailing cases have been placed in a smaller room in the basement to be used by them. The newly remodeled room on the second floor of the building is ready for occupancy, and will be used by the mailing division. This will relieve the former congested conditions on the main floor of the office and extra windows will be opened to accommodate the patrons.

The sudden increase of the parcel post has made it necessary to add to the delivery force and this morning three wagons and one automobile truck were busy traveling through the thoroughfares of the city with packages, large and small, to be delivered to the homes of thousands of Lowell people. One of the wagons is "brand" new and will be used by the postoffice all the time, while some of the others are hired for Christmas use. The packages are put in large baskets at the postoffice and each driver has a certain section of the city to cover. During the past few days the wagons have been seen quite frequently and they have been given considerable attention as they pass through the streets laden with packages of all shapes and sizes. All in all, the local postoffice was never better equipped to take care of the Christmas rush than it is now, and Postmaster Crowley believes that all mail matter will be properly and promptly taken care of.

As a rule the horses used in U. S. mail wagons in these parts are not very creditable to the service, and in this case all that can be said about the horse is that the animal is not "new." These old horses are altogether too slow for such a business and to be up to date Uncle Sam will have to get light autos for the parcels post business. They would be much cheaper than the poorest horses the livery stables can supply.

STEAMER ARRIVES

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Arrived: Steamer Amerika, Naples.

MAJ. GEN. BARRY TO PHILIPPINES

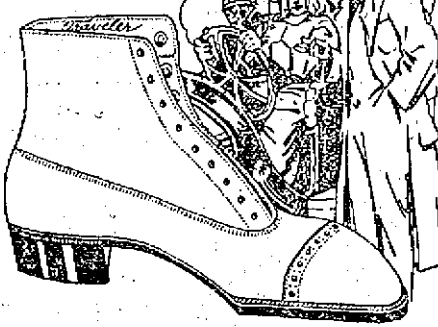
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Secretary Garrison announced today that when Major General Leonard Wood leaves the office of chief of staff next April he will be assigned to command the eastern department with headquarters at Governors Island, New York, succeeding Major General Thomas H. Barry, who will go to the Philippines. Secretary Garrison made no announcement of General Wood's successor as chief of staff.

CARDINAL MANTENELLI ILL
ROME, Dec. 19.—Cardinal Sebastian Marchetti, who was papal delegate to the United States in 1896 to 1902, is seriously ill. The cardinal, who is 55 years old, is prefect of the sacred congregation of rites. He was born at Santa Anna Italy.

Follow Pontes, Fri. eve., Asso.

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And so many other things that to enumerate them all would make a jewelry catalog of this paper.

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BRYCE TO GET TITLE BAD

THE BESTOWAL OF A PEERAGE ON FORMER BRITISH AMBASSADOR AT WASHINGTON PREDICTED

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The bestowal of a peerage on James Bryce, former British ambassador at Washington, is



predicted by the periodical Truth in writing about probable New Year's honors.

MUNICIPAL XMAS TREE

GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF CHILDREN IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Squadrons of mounted police and 12 uniformed buglers of the First Illinois Cavalry today headed a procession in which Chicago's first municipal Christmas tree was transported in the biggest truck in the city to Grant park on the city's waterfront. Six big black horses drew the tree, which will be placed in position by tonight.

Mayor Harrison will push a button which will illuminate the tree on Christmas Eve, while five grand opera stars sing from the balcony of the Art Institute, near the lake.

BASKETBALL AT THE Y. M. C. I. There will be some excitement at the Y. M. C. I. next Tuesday night when the society's first team will line up against the strong South End team in what promises to be a red hot game. Both teams will present their strongest lineups and as it is the first game for either team, both will struggle hard for a good start. The second team will also line up against some local team so that some good, interesting sport is assured for everyone who attends.

EXAMPLE

Woman Asks Pastor to Cut Out Smoking Cigarets

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Dean W. T. Sumner of St. Peter and St. Paul's cathedral, member of the board of education, a minister who insists on a physician's certificate before he performs a marriage ceremony, has been officially asked to "cut out" cigarettes. That is, to stop smoking.

The fact is, this is a piece of villification. I do not smoke more than one cigarette in a week or ten days. It appears that someone is trying to create an erroneous impression about me."

"The dean answered: 'Miss Gaston's interest in me is very nice, I'm sure. But I do not believe I shall regard it seriously. I can get along very well without chewing gentian root or gargling with silver. The fact is, this is a piece of villification. I do not smoke more than one cigarette in a week or ten days. It appears that someone is trying to create an erroneous impression about me.'

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OTTO HEINZE BANKRUPT

FILES VOLUNTARY PETITION STATING THAT LIABILITIES AND ASSETS ARE UNKNOWN

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Otto C. Heinze, formerly a member of the banking firm of Otto Heinze & Co., filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy late yesterday, in which he states that his liabilities and assets are unknown. He gives, however, a list of creditors with secured claims totalling \$500,000, and of unsecured creditors \$2,000,000.

The Heinze firm was put in bankruptcy in 1907, and after being for years in the hands of a receiver the petition was finally dismissed. Since then, Heinze says, "he has been harassed by a mass of claims and fruitless and futile litigation arising out of the situation then existing; and being without assets, any that he had having been sold by the receiver, he now feels compelled by the circumstances of his situation to seek in an appropriate way to unshackle and free himself in order that he may engage in useful business activity."

Otto C. Heinze is a brother of F. Augustus Heinze.

WANT RECEIVER FOR BANK
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The First National bank of Elizabeth, Pa., today notified the treasury department that it would not open its doors and asked for the appointment of a receiver. No details were given. Acting Comptroller of the Currency Kane will send a national bank examiner to take temporary charge.

WILSON IN HIS OFFICE

PRESIDENT BACK AT HIS DESK FOR FIRST TIME SINCE HE WAS TAKEN ILL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—President Wilson came to his office today for the first time since he was taken ill more than a week ago. He told friends that he felt practically as well as ever and worked on a mass of accumulated correspondence after which he met his cabinet.

The president has been thinking for several weeks about the personnel of the federal reserve board created by the currency bill and while he has not fixed upon any individuals he is trying to get the biggest possible man for the place, regardless of political affiliations.

Mr. Wilson indicated today that he would give the subject his most careful attention for the next few weeks.

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Safety Razors in variety, \$1 to \$5
Safety Razor Blades, 5c, 10c
Razors....\$1, \$1.50, \$2.50
Strops.....25c to \$1.00
"Pike Comb. Strop and Hone.....\$1.00
Shaving Soap, per cake 10c
Shaving Powder, can....25c
Watches.....\$1, \$1.50, \$2
Sportsman's Tool Kit \$1.50
Thermometers, wood, glass, tin.
Food Choppers (Universal) 85c to \$5.00
X-Press Carts.....\$1 to \$5
Flexible Steering Sleds, 90c to \$2.50
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Saws.....50c up
Wrenches.....20c up
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SHOT MAD DOG FENCE BOUNDARY

Canine Thought to Sen. Ashhurst Wants Have Rabies. Killed by Barbed Wire Along Mexican Border Officer Gilmore

Special Officer Gilmore of the Mexican border guard, who was on duty at the border near the town of Tijuana, yesterday afternoon.

Word was sent to the border guard that a mad dog was loose in the border area and that the dog was dangerous. The dog was shot by the border guard and the dog was found to have rabies.

The canine was first seen in a field at the corner of Colson and Hildreth streets. The reports that the animal was dangerous were substantiated by the border guard, who shot the dog when it approached. The dog was found to have rabies and was killed.

DEFENDS SEAMEN'S BILL

SECRETARY OF MARINE FIRE MEN'S UNION UPHOLDS LA FOLLETTE'S BILL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Thomas Conway of the Marine Firemen's Union, secretary of the union, today defended the La Follette seamen's bill before the House committee on commerce. He told of hardships of firemen on ships and of the need for the bill.

Patrick Ryan of San Francisco, vice-president of the International Seamen's union, and C. H. Brown of New York, secretary of the Eastern and Gulf Seamen's union, also urged the passage of the bill.

SCHOOL BOARD SHOWS SAVING.
A member of the school committee calls attention to the fact that the expenses for the coming year for the months of October and November this year were \$2,727.50 less than last year. The amount expended last year for evening school teachers, including high school, elementary school, drawing school, and industrial school, and all janitors was \$7,775.00. The expenses for the corresponding months this year amounted to \$5,047.50, or \$2,727.50 less than last year. At this rate of going expenses of evening schools for the present year will be \$2,000 less than last year. The attendance this year for the months of October and November was just as good as last year.

BUKE HURKS GAS ARM.
BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 13.—The Duke of Orleans, pretender to the throne of Greece, is recovering from a broken arm, the result of a collision while skating today while on an ice rink. The duke was enjoying the sport with a party of friends, was skidding the rink when another skater, going at great speed, collided with him, causing a violent collision. The duke lost his balance, fell heavily and was unable to rise.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—A barbed wire fence along the American boundary to the Mexican border is causing trouble to the border guard. The fence is being built by the Mexican government and is causing trouble to the border guard.

SHOE MACHINERY CASE

DISSOLUTION SUIT ADJOURNED UNTIL JAN. 6 TO PERMIT CHRISTMAS RECESS

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—The dissolution suit against the United Shoe Machinery Co. as an unlawful monopoly was adjourned today until Jan. 6 to permit the court its usual Christmas recess. Just before adjournment Albert Harrison, formerly a leader in the employ of the Thomas G. Plant Co., denied the charge made by Frank Morrison, a witness for the government, that the United company tried to prevent Harrison from working for the Plant Co. Harrison testified that there was no strike and that a union was not formed and that he never heard the United was supporting the strikers, although he was a member of the strikers' committee with Frank Morrison. The United was here, he testified, to lose in wages which resulted from the introduction of the new Plant working machines. The machines were new and the operators could not get the work out of them as fast as on the old machines. A committee was formed by the strikers to ask for an increase in pay. Mr. Plant, he said, granted the increase within a month.

CANNOT DICTATE PRICE

U. S. COURT OF APPEALS SAYS JEWELL CAN SELL WALTHAM WATCHES AT HIS OWN PRICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Wallingford Watch Co. cannot force Charles A. Jewell, a Jewell watch dealer, to sell Waltham watches at the price they dictate, according to a decision of the United States court of appeals today. The court held that the company's watches are sold at the price it sets them, which is lower than that charged by others here, brought them back to this country and then sold them for less than the price set by the manufacturer of the domestic retail trade. The court affirmed the decision of the federal district court without opinion. The decision is in line with recent judgments of the United States supreme court that the manufacturer of a patented or copyrighted article could not fix the retail price.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 13.—An indictment for murder was returned today by the grand jury against Arthur Mack, who is alleged to have beaten his wife to death in this city in October. Mack later pleaded not guilty and was held for trial without bail.

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THE HETCH HETCHY BILL

PRES. WILSON TODAY SIGNED BILL, GRANTING PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY TO SAN FRANCISCO

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—President Wilson today signed the Hetch-Hetchy bill granting a public water supply to San Francisco. He accompanied his signature with a statement that he believed that the public needs of the region concerned were served by the bill without impairing the usefulness of the public domain.

CAPTURE OF AXEMAN

Continued

John Lynskey was shot in the groin at the apartment of the Edmonds. The police learned of the shooting through Dr. Livingston, whom Lynskey went to for medical treatment.

May Have Shot Boy

The physician sent the boy over to St. John's hospital and then notified Sgt. Welch of the fact that the young man had been injured by a gunshot. Two officers were dispatched to the hospital at once in an endeavor to learn something of the affair but the injured had refused to say more than that the shooting was purely accidental. He told them where he was shot, however, and the officers started to round up the couple in whose rooms the shooting occurred.

There was no couple in sight when the inspectors arrived at the Grand street house although the landlady did not see them take out any baggage. They occupied a room on the ground floor and had simply dropped their suit cases out of the window and then entered around and picked them up. That was the last seen of the police for some of the police departments until last night.

Uses Axe In Breaks

Prindle is noted for the peculiar method that he has used in all of his breaks. He is sometimes called the "axeman" on account of the fact that an axe has figured in all of the breaks which he has committed in any city. He would first locate an entrance into the cellar, in broad daylight, when the neighbors of the robbed family were never looking for anything of the sort, and then open the door into the house properly by hacking out a piece in the door so that he could reach the lock. In this the police say that he has followed the paths of all the most noted burglars who always commit their breaks in the same manner.

His narrowest escape was in Lowell shortly after his break in the Black Hawk. Officer Healey caught eight of Prindle, who was then running at top speed, and gave chase at once. Prindle was too active for him, however, and showed both ingenuity and agility in climbing over back fence at great rate of speed. When the officer finally thought he had him cornered between two houses the latter threw him the slip as completely as though the earth had opened and swallowed him. In his flight, however, Prindle lost his watch and a ring, and these two articles were of great value in identifying him.

Wanted In 14 Places

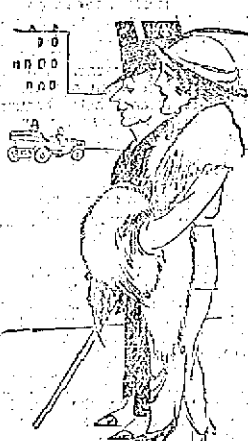
Prindle is wanted in at least 14 cities and towns and in the majority of these several counts are charged against him. In Somerville alone, 26 separate counts are booked against him and in Lawrence, Wellesley, Malden, the Newtons, Chelsea, Boston, Cambridge, Melrose, Waltham and Norwell as well as Lowell, all have warrants for his arrest. In all about 100 burglaries are charged against Prindle.

That he was a desperate character and ready to stand up against the police was well known by the detectives in the Boston police department. Four of the 10th inspectors have done nothing for the past month but simply frequent the houses where they considered Prindle would most likely resort, but he was too fast for them and was never seen until last night.

Lowell Police Aided In Arrest

The Lowell police were responsible in a large measure for his apprehension last night, for the description furnished by Supt. Welch was the best lead trace that had been received of the mysterious burglar.

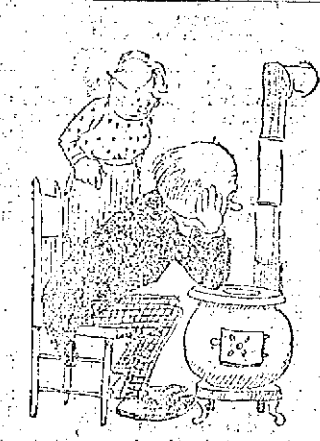
Prindle's home in Somerville was at



MORE IMPORTANT.

"Was that the candidate for Senator whom every one was looking at in the photo?"

"No; he's a great football player."



JOE'S COMFORTER.

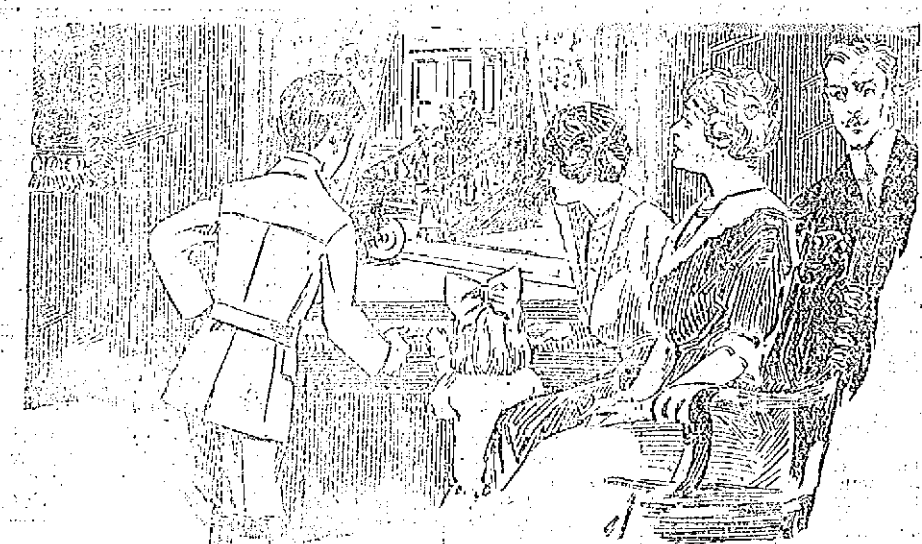
"Cheer up, my dear; there are flowers beneath the snow."

"Yes, but nobody will lend me a shovel to shovel 'em out."



AGREEABLE CHANGE.

"He—won't you take my seat. She—No, thank you, I've been skating all the afternoon and I'm tired of sitting down."



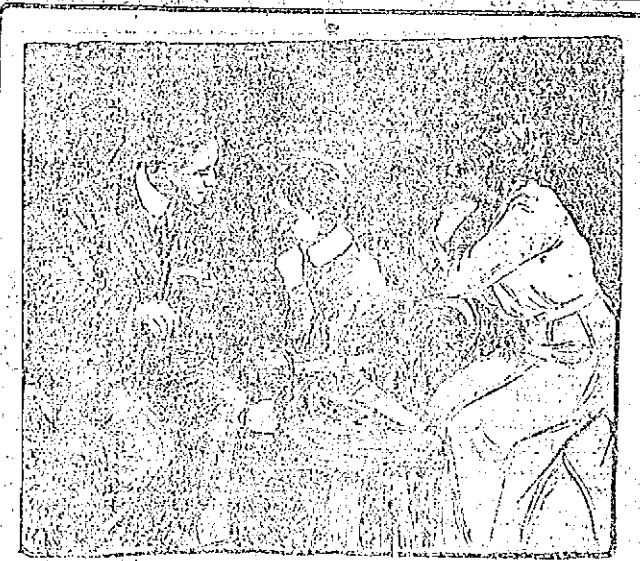
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FIRE IN DUMP

A telephone alarm at 9:30 o'clock last night called out the fire department to a blaze in a fuel dump at the "First street dump." The fire had gained too much headway to be stopped, however, when the firemen arrived and the dump, as well as the tools it contained, was destroyed.

283 KILLED IN 76 WRECKS

1880 Injured—Interstate Commerce Board Makes Vigorous Recommendations for Safety of Travelers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Emphasizing the necessity for further action by the federal government to provide greater safety for travelers and employees upon American railroads, the interstate commerce commission, in its annual report, submitted to congress today makes vigorous recommendations for additional powers over the physical construction and operation of the roads. The commission also recommends that it be given authority to supervise the issue of railroad securities and some measure of control over the capitalization.

Conditions disclosed by the commission's investigation of railroad accidents during the year present a situation which, the commission believes, ought to be the subject of immediate legislation. Seventy-six accidents investigated comprised 51 collisions and 25 derailments, and caused the death of 283 and the injury of 1,830 persons. Commenting upon these facts, the report says:

"The commission again is compelled to note the exceedingly large proportion of train accidents due to dereliction of duty on the part of employees. Fifty-six of the accidents investigated during the year, or nearly 74 per cent. of the whole number, were directly caused by mistakes of employees. These mistakes were of the same nature as those noted by the commission in its last annual report, namely: disregard of fixed signals; improper flagging; failure to obey train orders; improper checking of train registers; misunderstanding of orders; occupying main track on time of superior train; block operator allowed train to enter occupied block; dispatcher gave an order or used improper form of order; operator made mistake in copying order; switch left open in face of approaching train; excessive speed; failure to identify train that was met.

Causes of Train Accidents

"These errors are exactly the ones which figure in the causes of train accidents year after year. Their persistence, leading always to the same harrowing results, points alternatives. Either a great majority of these deplorable railroad disasters are unavoidable or there exists a widespread lack of intelligent and well-directed effort to minimize the mistakes of employees in the operation of trains. It is not believed that all these accidents which are caused by the mistakes of employees are unavoidable. It is quite true that man is prone to error, and as long as absolute reliance is placed upon the human element in the operation of trains accidents are bound to occur, but until it can be shown that all reasonable and proper measures have been taken for its prevention no accident can be classed as unavoidable.

"All of the mistakes noted above are violations of simple rules, which should have been easily understood by men of sufficient intelligence to be entrusted with the operation of trains. The evidence is that in the train the rules are understood, but they are habitually violated by employees who are charged with responsibility for the safe movement of trains. The evidence also is that in many cases operating officers are negligent of this habitual disregard of rules and no proper steps are taken to correct the evil. Many operating officers seem to proceed upon the theory that their responsibility ends with the promulgation of rules, apparently overlooking the fact that no matter how inherent

by good a rule may be, it is of no force unless it is obeyed. On very many railroads there is little or no system of inspection or supervision of the work of train-service employees so far as pertains to those matters which vitally affect safety. Employees are not examined on the operating rules except at the time of their promotion, and only the most perfunctory efforts are made to determine their fitness to perform the duties assigned to them from time to time.

Lack of Supervision

"This lack of supervision and inspection with respect to matters affecting the safety of trains is unacceptable when the careful supervision of all matters directly affecting the revenue of the roads is considered. The auditing and checking systems used for detecting the dishonesty of employees are marvels of ingenuity and careful attention to detail, but means of determining whether trains are operated in accordance with the requirements of safety and in conformity with the rules are almost entirely lacking.

"In previous reports the commission has recommended legislation requiring the standardization of operating rules. It is vital to the safe movement of trains that rules should be explicit and uniform in character, so that they may be easily understood and that there may be no doubt as to their application. To this end federal legislation is necessary.

105 Killed in 14 Wrecks

"Disobedience of signal indications on block signaled railroads is one of the most serious phases of the accident situation. Such disobedience often occurs in connection with the movement of important high speed passenger trains, and when it results in a collision or derailment a most deplorable casualty list is its inevitable consequence. Fourteen of the investigated accidents which have occurred on block signaled roads since July 1, 1911, were caused by engineers running by stop signals or failing to reduce speed as directed by cautious signals. In these 14 accidents 105 persons were killed and 311 were injured. In seven of these accidents the culpable engineer himself was killed.

"No adequate reason can be offered for these serious lapses from duty by men who in many cases suffer death as a consequence. Frequently it is hard even to suggest a plausible explanation for the disobedience of signal indications. That they are disobeyed, however, is a fact, and the lives that are annually sacrificed from this cause call loudly for some means of arresting its results. The most disastrous accidents of this character occur on roads equipped with modern systems of automatic block signals, where elaborate precautions to prevent accidents (short of guarding against the consequences of signal disobedience) have been taken. The trains involved in these lamentable disasters generally are operated by trusted employees of long experience. But the record abundantly proves that even splendid signal equipment and admirable discipline, coupled with long experience and high moral character on the part of employees, can not prevent the occasional man failures which produce such fatal results. These facts are brought to the attention of the congress, with the suggestion that these man failures indicate the necessity for the development and perfection of some system of automatic

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train control to be used in connection with existing signal systems.

Accidents by High Speed

"High speed was an important contributing cause of several serious accidents during the past year. On many roads there is no limit to the speed at which passenger trains are allowed to run. Engineers are thus encouraged to run their trains at excessive speed in an effort to make up time lost on schedules that are in many cases already sufficiently fast for safety. Such high speed is especially dangerous in times of fog or storm, when signals can be seen but a comparatively short distance. The maximum allowable speed of trains on all roads should be established at a safe limit, and it should not be left entirely to the judgment of engineers to determine whether or not this limit is exceeded.

"Inasmuch as the only purpose of investigation," the report continues, "is to learn the true causes of accidents, so that such causes may be eliminated as fully as practicable, it is manifestly impossible for the commission fully to accomplish such purpose unless empowered by law to enforce its recommendations. Furthermore, the commission should be authorized to conduct independent investigations with respect to all matters affecting the safety of railway travel, the object being to prevent accidents as far as possible rather than, as at present, merely to point out the causes of accidents after their occurrence. There is particular need for investigation of the conditions surrounding the use of steel rails and car wheels upon railroads."

Important Recommendations

Among the important recommendations for new legislation are the following: That one period be fixed for the beginning of all actions relating to transportation charges and that that period be within three years from the completion of the service as to which damages are claimed.

That a carrier which fails to demand payment of charges for any transportation service within the period of 90 days shall be deemed guilty of giving a rebate to the shipper.

That all suits brought to enforce or set aside orders of the commission directly under the supervision of the commission, instead of, as now, under the direction of the department of justice; and that the commission be charged primarily with the duty of presenting such cases in court subject to the right of the department of justice to protect public or private interests.

That the commission be authorized to make orders after investigation, respecting the construction and maintenance of the physical properties of railroads engaged in interstate commerce and rules and regulations pertaining to the use and operation of such properties.

That the commission be given control and supervision over railway capitalization.

Block Signal Lights

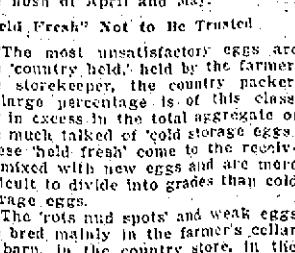
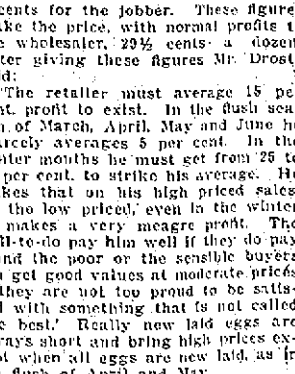
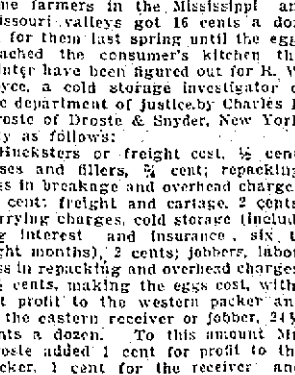
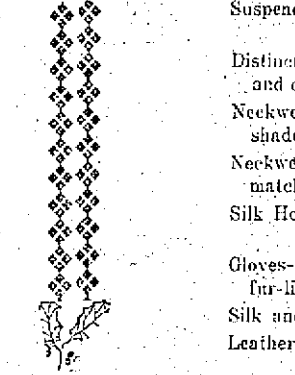
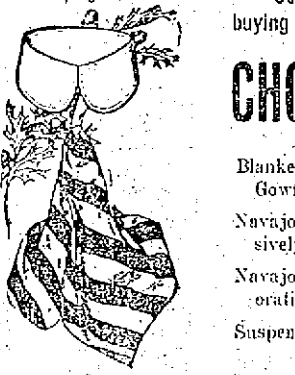
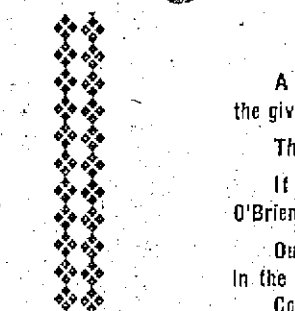
That, further to minimize the danger of accidents, the commission be empowered "to acquire the use of block signal systems and to require the adoption and use of steel or steel underframe cars in passenger service."

That explicit authority be given the commission to examine all books and papers of common carriers subject to the law.

That the commission be relieved of all duties under the parcel post law, "or that such duties and the standards to be applied be more clearly stated."

"The report gives some consideration to the law providing for physical valuation of railroads. Up to the present time it has not been possible to do more than prepare an outline of the plan for the great task of valuing American railroad property. The report shows that the work of the commission increased tremendously in volume. Scores of violations of the law by both carriers and shippers were investigated. In this connection the report says that "the false billing of freight by shippers continues." It is pointed out that serious abuses of transit privileges by both carriers and shippers constitute a continuing evil remedy for which is being worked out by the commission. Failure on the part of carriers to collect from shippers certain demurrage charges was made the subject of many investigations, because this is regarded by the commission as one of the most insidious forms of rebating. Stress also is laid upon violations of the anti-trust law, but the report indicates that these are becoming less and less frequent.

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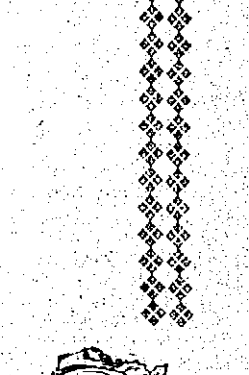
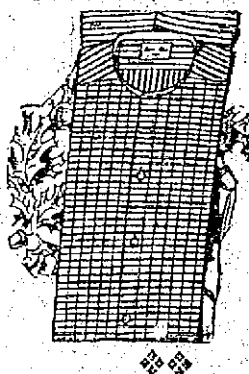
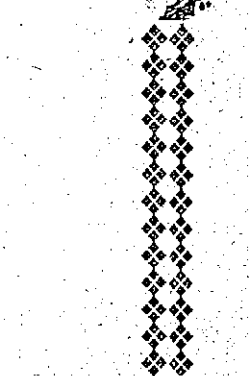
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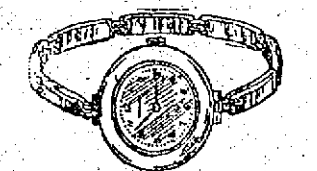
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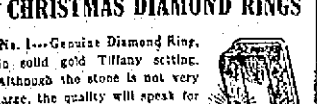
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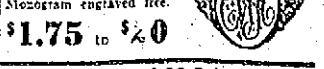
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The various items entering into the cost of cold storage eggs from the time farmers in the Mississippi and Missouri valleys got 15 cents a dozen for their last spring until the eggs reached the consumer's kitchen this winter have been figured out for R. W. Joyce, a cold storage investigator of the department of justice by Charles F. Droste of Droste & Snyder, New York, city as follows:

Breakers or freight cost, 15 cents; cases and fillers, 2 cents; repacking, loss in breakage and overhead charges, 1 cent; freight and cartage, 2 cents; carrying charges, cold storage (including interest and insurance, six to eight months), 2 cents; jobbers, labor, loss in repacking and overhead charges, 2 1/2 cents, making the eggs cost, without profit to the western packer and without the eastern receiver or jobber, 24 1/2 cents a dozen. To this amount Mr. Droste added 1 cent for profit to the packer, 1 cent for the receiver, and 3 cents for the jobber. These figures make the price, with normal profits to the wholesaler, 29 1/2 cents a dozen. After giving these figures Mr. Droste said:

"The retailer must average 15 per cent profit to exist. In the rush season of March, April, May and June he scarcely averages 5 per cent. In the winter months he must get from 25 to 30 per cent, to strike his average. He makes that on his high priced sales. On the low priced, even to the winter he makes a very meagre profit. The well-to-do pay him well if they do not, and the poor or the sensible buyers can get good values at moderate prices if they are not too proud to be satisfied with something that is not called 'the best.' Really new laid eggs are always short and bring high prices except when all eggs are new laid, as in the flush of April and May.

"Held Fresh" Not to Be Trusted

"The most unsatisfactory eggs are the 'country held,' held by the farmer, the storekeeper, the country packer. A large percentage is of this class, far in excess in the total aggregate of the much talked of 'cold storage eggs.' These 'held fresh' come to the receiver, and the poor or the sensible buyers can get good values at moderate prices if they are not too proud to be satisfied with something that is not called 'the best.' Really new laid eggs are always short and bring high prices except when all eggs are new laid, as in the flush of April and May.

shippers' little warehouse. When they are found in cold storage it is because they were in this condition before they were stored.

"The spring cost, 15 cents on the farm, has really nothing to do with the value in the winter. That value depends upon conditions then prevailing. If the fall production is large and the consumption is small then values go down and the 24 1/2 cents cost stock is sold at a loss. A year ago the loss was 5 to 7 cents a dozen. If fall production is light and consumption is large, then the 24 1/2 cents cost eggs sell at 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 cents, and higher if the demand continues and if the high prices fail to draw increasing supplies from other centers or the production is nothing.

"We have now the country cost, 16 cents to the farmer, the city retail price, 33 cents, with normal profits to the handlers. If the retail price is less than the normal profits have to be cut to that extent. If the demand and supply do not sustain these values prices go down and dealers' profits disappear or become losses and the consumer benefits. If the demand outruns the supply the dealers' profits increase and the consumer pays the increase. The farmer's net result, remains fixed from the start, as does the profit of the case manufacturer, the packer, the railroads and all the labor engaged in the transaction."

See No Egg Combination

"Mr. Droste says there is no business in which competition is keener, and there is not a vestige of combination anywhere. Every dealer tries to take the business of the other away and the retailer tries to drive his opponent out of business. He declares that the wholesale merchants can rarely show an average gross profit of 5 per cent, on sales, including even the years when fortune favors them in speculative ventures, and the small retail grocer who can pay his debts is the exception.

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SOAKED NOTE IN COCAINE

Means of Getting Drug into "Dope Ward" of the County Jail at Denver

The core of an apple, the peel of a banana and the stone of a peach have been used as means of smuggling cocaine into the county jail at Denver but attaches believe that an entirely new plan has been evolved.

A letter was received recently addressed to one of the inmates of the "dope" ward. No signs of cocaine could be detected in the corners of the envelope, but the jail officials decided to examine the letter more closely.

A minute scrutiny of the paper on which the letter was written revealed that it was saturated with the drug. There was enough in the sheet to supply one of the victims a week at least. The letter might have escaped detection if it had not been for the fact that the sender had overdone his work. A white powdery substance, which covered the entire letter first aroused suspicion.

According to the jail attaches the paper had been boiled in water, in which there was cocaine. After the water had boiled away the cocaine was absorbed by the paper, which was then rolled and dried. The sender of the letter has not been found. He signed a minute scrutiny of the paper on no name.

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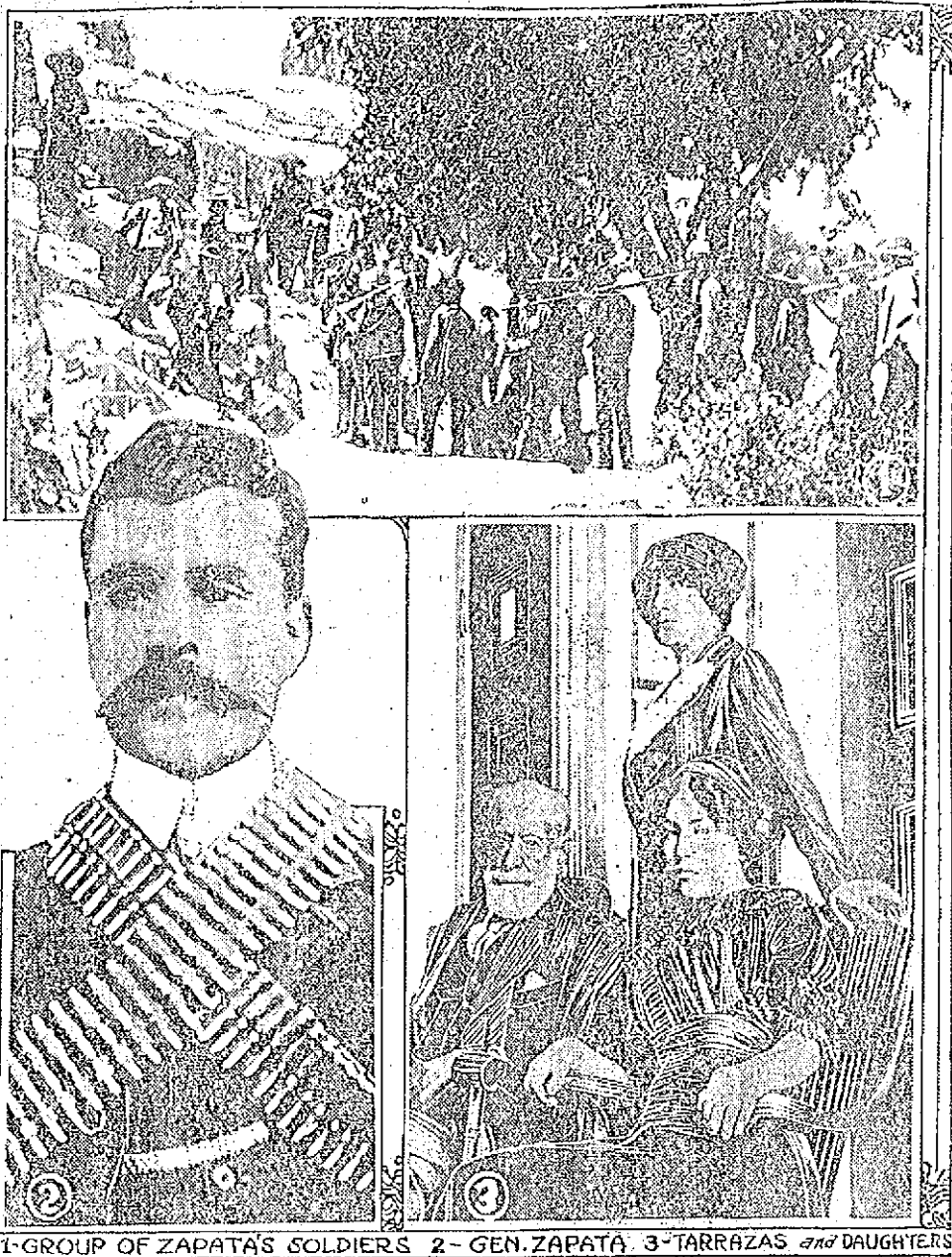
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WEALTHIEST MEXICAN A FUGITIVE; GENERAL THREATENING CAPITAL AND SOME OF HIS SOLDIERS



1-GROUP OF ZAPATA'S SOLDIERS. 2-GEN. ZAPATA. 3-TERRAZAS AND DAUGHTERS

EL PASO, Dec. 19.—General Luis Terrazas is one of the wealthiest men in the world, but whether he can retain much of his property since his flight from Chihuahua is problematical. His fortune has been estimated at \$500,000,000. "I am too old to continue the fight," said Terrazas—he is eighty-one—"and as soon as I can bring my family from Chihuahua, where they are now prisoners, to the American border I will go with them to Los Angeles. I have a home there and will spend the remainder of my life under the stars and stripes. I want peace." The aged Mexican multimillionaire wept bitterly when shown General Villa's order of confiscation. The property—land, stocks, mines and personal effects—seized by the rebel chieftain is variously estimated. Though Terrazas has been stripped of most of his possessions, he is not penniless. He has more than \$5,000,000 deposited in American banks and invested in American property, which is safe from Villa. Luis Terrazas, Jr., is still held a prisoner in Chihuahua by Villa.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 19.—The Zapatista rebels are steadily closing in on the capital. The lack of artillery alone prevents them from attacking the city. The Zapatista forces made simultaneous attacks on several

federal forces, inflicting heavy losses. The sharpest fighting was at Alamo, Alta, seventeen miles from here. Led by Felipe Tijera, formerly a federal officer, they captured the town in a three-hour attack, killing 100 troops of the Twenty-first cavalry.

AN EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORY

The "Educational Directory" for the year 1913-14, containing lists of state school officers, city school superintendents in all cities and towns in the United States over 100 population, county, township and district superintendents; presidents of colleges and universities; principals of normal schools; summer school directors; educational associations, etc., has just been issued for free distribution by the United States bureau of education. The directory, a book of 160 pages, contains all changes reported to the bureau to Nov. 8, 1913, and represents the very latest available information with regard to school officers and school agencies.

The list of city school superintendents gives the name of the officer, his term of office, date of official appointment, date when his present term expires, and the salary he receives. In the case of the county, township and district superintendents, only the name of the official and his county headquarters are given.

Many new features appear in this year's directory. With the various state superintendents are given the state superintendents of rural schools, inspectors of high schools, and other state school officers. There is a list of officers of state boards of education, officers of state library commissions, boards of trustees of universities and colleges, presidents and deans of schools of theology, law, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and veterinary medicine. Whether a college is a "co-ed" or not is carefully indicated.

Schools for the blind and schools for the deaf are represented by the names of the superintendents. There is a list of schools for the feeble-minded, directors of schools of art and directors of museums. The list of summer school directors contains the probable date of the 1914 session.

To the list of educational associations is added that of boards of education and school boards. Superintendents of Catholic parochial schools are listed, as are also Jewish educational organizations, international associations of educational institutions of state teachers' associations, mothers' congresses and state federations of women's clubs. A list of educational periodicals is appended.

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QUININE A CURE

For the Rabies—Other Details Concerning Disease are Described

"Rabies in dogs may be found to be generally curable by the use of quinine," declared Dr. Langdon Frothingham of the Harvard medical school in his lecture on "Rabies and Glanders" before the medical school. His assertion was based on the use of quinine in curing a St. Louis man who had been inoculated, and it was prefaced by the statement that heretofore "there has never been a cure for rabies. The Pasteur treatment is merely preventive."

Dr. Frothingham advocated the treatment of all dogs in the United States by the present means of combating the disease. "Rabies is one of the strangest diseases known," said Dr. Frothingham, "and it is probably surrounded by the most superstition. There was a time when it was thought that rabies was produced in dogs as the result of the dog not getting enough food or being mistreated. It was thought that if a dog suspected of having rabies bit a person the dog should be killed at once. Now it is known that such a dog should not be killed, but should be shut up and observed."

A dog suffering with rabies will attack all animals and man. Infection is by saliva always transmitted by the bite of a dog. The incubation period may be as short as a week or as long as a year. The bite of the dog in such a case, without treatment, is fatal in about 99 per cent of all cases.

The things to do when bitten by a dog are:

1.—Get the dog. Shut it up so that it can be watched.

2.—Wash the bite thoroughly and continue with strong nitric acid.

There are two kinds of rabies—furious rabies and dumb rabies. Dogs suffering from the first show a tendency to run and to bite something. They are crazy. They eat coal, sticks, hay and anything that they happen to find, but they can't swallow water, though they try. Persons afflicted with rabies cannot swallow water, but their inability is occasioned by fear resulting from spasms.

Dogs that have dumb rabies are not dangerous for being dejected and slobbering saliva.

Now, in attempts on dogs there has been nothing to show that they have died of rabies, except the contents of their stomachs. When coal, wood, and other foreign substances are found in their stomachs, it is proof that they have died of rabies. Another means of diagnosing rabies as the cause of death in dogs is now being used, however. Rabbits, guinea pigs and other animals inoculated with bacteria taken from the head of a dog, will show symptoms of rabies within a few weeks, provided that that disease was responsible for the dog's death.

There never has been a treatment for rabies in a person after the symptoms began. The Pasteur treatment is preventive instead of curative. In most times faith has been placed in certain absurd remedies, one of which involved the crushed spine of a horse, but has remained for quinine, the cure for malaria, to effect the first cure of a case of rabies in man after the symptoms had developed.

There is a tendency on the part of people to feed their dogs at the table, to put shoes on their feet and other things rather than to let them be as nature intended. This is to be regretted. I am not a hater of dogs for I have one myself, but I believe that dogs should be muzzled, as they have been in England and European countries, to decrease the mortality from rabies. Muzzles that prevent the dogs from getting without hindering their breathing can be used.

In speaking about glanders, I would say that there is no cure for glanders. It affects man and animals, and it is very contagious, often resulting within three weeks.

As already said, there is no cure for glanders. What is more important is its prevention. The full subject should be under the entire control of the state.

It would be wise not to have driving throngs throughout the city, but to have a few counting, but steady, and the drivers of horses could get water in pails.

TO SHORTEN SEA ROUTE

Steamers Will Run Weekly From the West of Ireland to Halifax and Boston

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The project for shortening the Atlantic sea passage by the inauguration of a steamship service between the west of Ireland and Halifax, Nova Scotia and Boston, is at last being realized.

A contract was signed in London on November 26 giving power for the drawing of plans for the construction of a harbor at Blackhead Bay and the making of a railway connecting that point with the three principal railways of Ireland.

This is the scheme known as the All Red Route which was advocated in parliament and out of it by Dr. Robert Ambrose, formerly member for West Mayo, and the necessary capital has now been provided in England and in Massachusetts.

The designs will be carried out by Henry C. Long of Boston, a well known architect in harbor construction, and the necessary steamships, rolling stock and permanent way material have already been bespoken from English firms.

The railway communication with Blackhead will be made from Collooney, in F Mayo where the Midland Great Western of Ireland, the Great Northern and Great Southern and Western systems converge.

The traffic gathered over a new line 26 miles in length between Blackhead and Collooney will thus be distributed over the three trunk lines and sent to England and Scotland through terminals at the North Wall, Dublin, Belfast and Stranraer.

A weekly service of fast steamers is contemplated, which will carry mail and passengers to Halifax in three days and a half, and the voyage will be carried on to Boston as the port of debarkation on outward cargo.

It is expected that the new route will divert to England much trade that now goes from America to the continent by reason of superior speed and shortness.

SAYS EVE WAS A DEMOCRAT

"Eve was a democrat. She believed in equal rights for all and special privileges to none. She made Adam pick the apple and prepared it to suit herself, and then made Adam share it with her. She was a politician and forced Adam to obey her every command. Her daughters and her daughter's daughters have followed her example ever since."

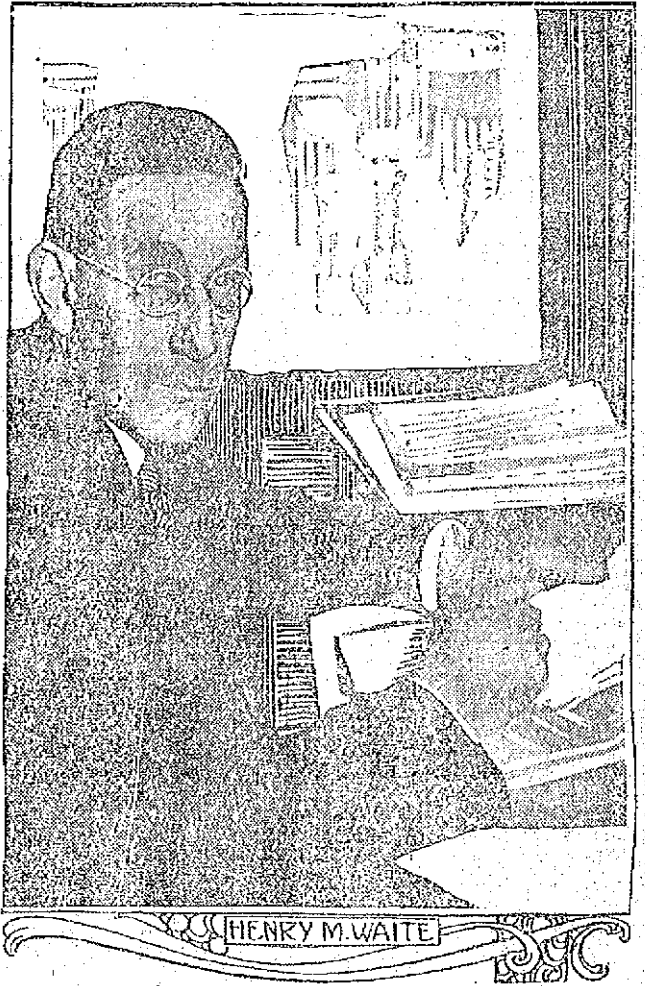
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MAN WHO IS CHOSEN MANAGER OF A BIG AMERICAN CITY



DAYTON, O., Dec. 19.—The recently elected "business manager" of this city, Henry M. Waite, has completed his plans for putting the new system of municipal government into effect, and idea.

Waite has been engaged at a salary of \$12,000 by the municipal governing commission to run the business of the city. This is distinctly a new political idea.

Walter has followed her example ever since. "When men have fought duels for her she has placed flowers on the grave of the dead one and kisses on the lips of the victor. From the time she compelled Adam to eat the apple until Edmund Bonham's compelled Woodrow Wilson to let her come in woman has been a rabid Bryan democrat."

"She believes in the income tax; the higher the income the higher the tax, and she believes in collecting it at the source, even if that source is the trousers' pocket."—Mrs. Elizabeth D. Trautman at meeting of Women's Democratic Club, Spokane, Wash.

The forest products laboratory at Madison, Wisconsin, has made 4300 tests on the strength of American woods.

The gathering and selling of acorns

is a new industry in Arkansas, to supply eastern nursery firms with material for forest planting.

Thirty different wood preservatives are in commercial use in the United States; many of them utilize cresote of one sort or another; others require chemical salts.

Last year the forest service distributed 112,000 basket willow cuttings; 15,500 to forest schools, 20,000 to agricultural experiment stations, and \$1,000 to individuals.

More than 500,000 horsepower has been developed from streams on national forests under government regulation. This represents the output under conditions of lowest streamflow.

Florida hatchedwood, a tree cultivated largely by the boys along the south coast, is very highly prized for use in cooking on ships' galley. It burns slowly with an even heat and makes but little smoke or ash.

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NEW TIME SCHEDULE CHELMSFORD FOUNDRY

BAY STATE ST. RY. MAKES SLIGHT CURTAILMENT — BUSY LINES WILL NOT BE AFFECTED

The winter schedule of the Bay State street railway went into effect yesterday and changes were made on nearly every line in the city. The railway officials say the riding during the past few months has not been large enough to warrant such an extended time schedule and it is believed that the changes will not cause any confusion to the patrons.

On the Westford street line the cars will run every 12 minutes until 4:02 o'clock in the afternoon, when the 10-minute time will again go into effect. Two late trips on the Andover street line have been discontinued and changes have been made on the Broadway, Christian Hill and Varnum Avenue lines.

Moody street people must not be accustomed to late hours as half-hour time will be the rule after 7:45 o'clock with the exception of Monday, Saturday and Sunday nights, when 15-minute time will be observed. An hour schedule has been arranged for the Nashua line, with the exception of Saturdays, when half-hour time will be followed.

Hear Miner's, Asso., Friday night.

L. W. W. NOT WANTED

Striking Mule Spinners in Pawtucket Valley Object to Presence of Two Representatives

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 19.—The striking mule spinners in the mills of B. B. & R. Knight in the Pawtucket Valley yesterday roundly scored the two representatives of the L. W. W. for attempted interference with the present labor difficulties at their respective meetings held in Attle and Natick.

The strikers passed a vote asking that Sec. Fleming of the International Mule Spinners' organization come to the valley and induce the L. W. W. men to leave the field.

All efforts on the part of the L. W. W. to get a public hall in West Warwick and Warwick failed. After being refused admittance to the Boy's Social club, on the Warwick side of Natick, the L. W. W. men held an open-air meeting in Baker street square. The Warwick police have been notified of the affair and they say that no such meeting will be allowed. A similar stand has been taken by the West Warwick authorities.

The strike committee met and resolved to ask the authorities to expel from the town the two L. W. W. men if they attempted to hold a meeting. The strikers are members of the United Textile Workers of America, which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

The Pawtucket Valley Weavers' union notified the striking mule spinners that the weavers in the Knight mills would refuse to use any yarns which might be brought from outside mills.

WOODED WITH REVOLVER

Brooklyn Girl Who Refused to Elope Wounded by Joseph Schmidt, Who Kills Himself

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Anne Meyer, a 17-year-old Brooklyn girl, refused to elope with Joseph Schmidt, aged 20, last night and Schmidt shot her in the face and then sent a bullet into his own head, dying instantly. The girl's jaw was broken. She will recover.

The two had been friends several months, according to the police, and Schmidt's jealousy had been aroused because other youths paid the girl attention. The shooting was in the street, a few blocks from the girl's home.

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PLANT OF THE CONCERN AT MEDFORD SOLD OUT BY CONANT & CO. ON TUESDAY

J. E. Conant & Co. conducted a very successful sale at Medford on Tuesday, disposing of the plant of the Chelmsford Foundry company at that place.

The sale of the machinery, mechanical equipment, and other personal property commenced promptly, as advertised, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and was practically completed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The 1035 lots were sold in 360 minutes, which better illustrates than in any other way the true success and unusual activity of the sale. There were over 200 persons present, and as the property was off at one side, so to speak, the attendance was largely composed of those only who were interested in purchasing something at the sale.

The larger buyers were the Messrs. Thompson Brothers of Liverpool, Nova Scotia, the Hills & Jones company of Wilmington, Delaware, M. T. Claffin of Waterville, Maine, the Spiers Brothers of New London, Connecticut, and Messrs. Alexander & Carse of Charlotte, North Carolina; also the Gibbs Foundry company, the American-Luxfer, Prism Co., the American Architectural Iron Works, the New England Iron Works Co., the Warren Bros. Co., and the Boston Fire Proof Co., all of Boston; also the Sylvester company of Danvers, Frederick H. Parker of Pepperell, Quincy Adams Polishing Co. of Quincy, Messrs. H. F. Eastman & Co. of Cambridge, the Marker Forge Co. of Chelsea, and Messrs. George A. Read & Son of Gloucester.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

An interesting meeting of Court Wamsit, Foresters of America, was held last night at which the following officers were elected: Chief ranger, William A. Kelly; sub chief ranger, James Carney; treasurer, Lawrence O'Loughlin; financial secretary, Thos. E. Carney; recording secretary, James P. White; senior woodward, John J. Phillips; junior woodward, George White; senior beadle, Noel Arpin; junior beadle, James Farrell; physician, Dr. James E. Leary; lecturer, William J. Beardon; trustee for three years, Jas. Gill; trustee for two years, Anthony Chandonny; trustee for one year, Jas. Casey.

At the next meeting the above officers will be installed by Worthy Deputy A. McDougall.

Ekin Lodge, N. E. O. P.

The members of Ekin lodge, 186 N. E. O. P., gathered in their hall on Branch street last night and after transacting considerable important business, elected the following officers: Warden, Fred Timmins; vice warden, N. E. Fisher; secretary, Mrs. H. A. Burrows; financial secretary, Miss A. Christobel Burrows; treasurer, Mrs. Rita J. Bowen; chaplain, Mrs. Nora Chandler; guide, H. C. Gordon; guardian, D. A. Chandler; sentinel, John W. Robertson; pianist, Bertha Ober; trustee for three years, Mrs. D. P. Norris; trustee for one year, Mrs. May Fisher.

Lowell Council, R. A.

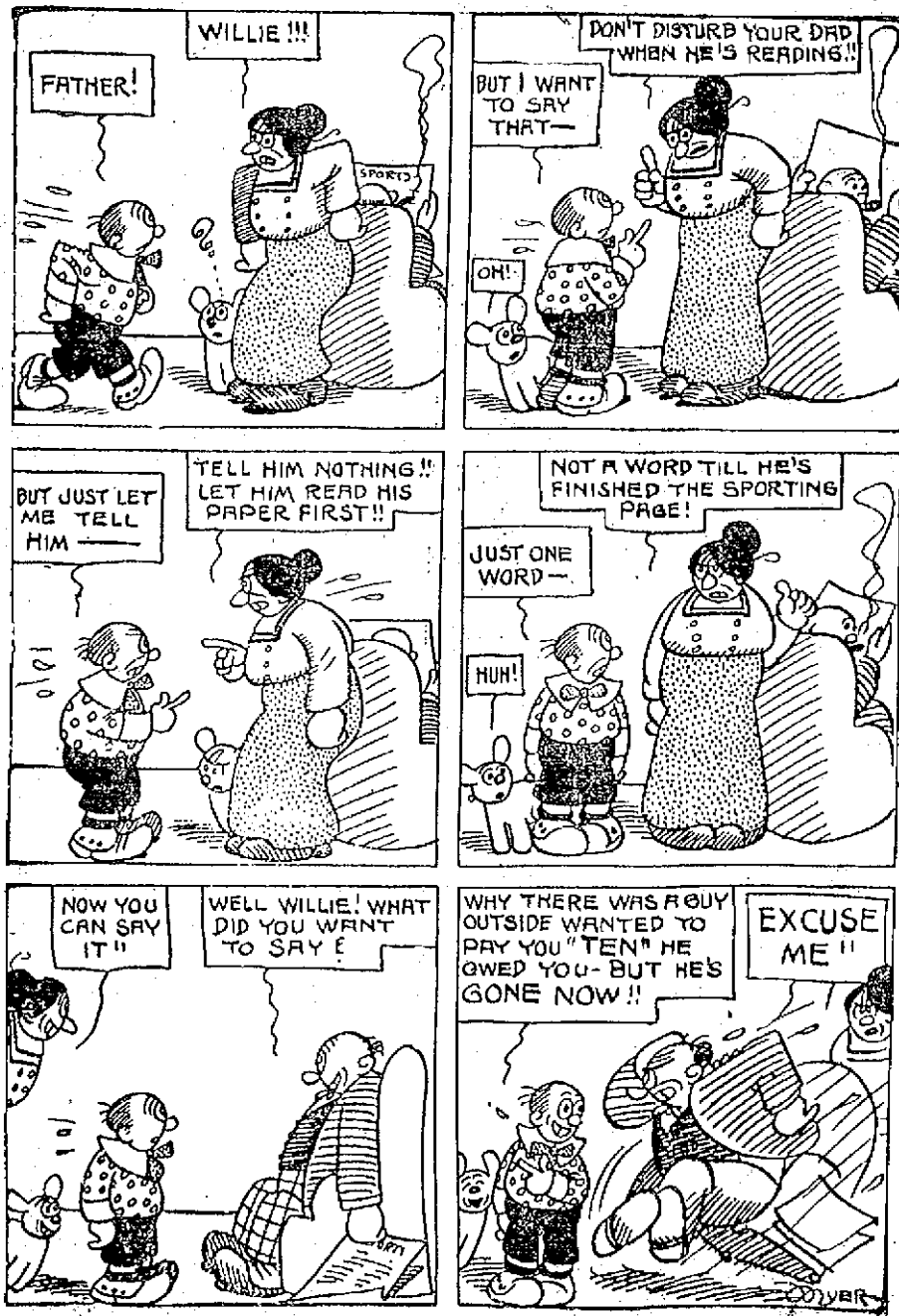
The regular weekly meeting of Lowell council, Royal Arcanum, was held last night with a large attendance. Several reports were read and accepted and two propositions for membership were received.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to express publicly her sincere thanks to those who by acts of kindness, words of consolation and floral offerings helped to lighten the burden of sorrow at the death of her father. All will ever be remembered by

Catherine Dunn.

EXCUSE ME



LOST LIBEL SUIT NATIONAL GAME

Policeman of Salem Wanted \$20,000 from Ex-Mayor Adams

SALEM, Dec. 19.—John J. Carr, captain of the police department of this city, yesterday lost his libel suit for \$20,000 brought in the superior court against former Mayor Rufus D. Adams, after a two weeks' trial, during which testimony of a sensational nature impeaching the character and conduct of the police force featured prominently. A jury of 11 men returned a verdict for the defendant.

Captain Carr brought suit against Adams because of a letter which the latter, as mayor, sent to the civil service commission in the Salem police department. In this letter Mayor Adams gave his reasons why he believed Carr unfit for the position of captain of the force. The former mayor claimed in court that the letter in question was a privileged communication and in no sense carried a malicious purpose.

Captain Carr contended that the letter of the mayor was written in a spirit of political malignity and was the cause of his failure to receive the appointment to the captaincy of the force during Mayor Adams' administration.

SON IS FREED

Held Not Responsible for Death of Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 18.—Fernald M. Eldridge was released from further detention by the officers of Kennebec county today. He had been held under suspicion since the finding of the bodies of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Eldridge in their partly burned home at West Gardiner a week ago Sunday. His release followed the verdict of the coroner's jury that death was due to suffocation in both cases.

AVERRED HEAD-ON CRASH

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 18.—Automatic derailment apparatus saved a Chicago-bound express train from a head-on crash into a runaway freight train near here today on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad. Altraback on the freight train failed to work. After it had passed the second stop signal, the derailment switch opened and the runaway was shot into the ditch just in time to let the passenger train by.

WHY CLOCKS GO WRONG

The reason why mantelpiece clocks so often get out of order is so obvious that it is strange that attention to it has not been drawn before. A clock master says: "It is because mantelpiece clocks are rarely level. If a clock meant for a mantelpiece is not placed in an exactly horizontal position it is sure to go wrong. When the clock frame or base because of its slanting position, people regularly move the hands forward or backward, as the case may be, in order to adjust it. Eventually the clock's hands are moved about so much that the mechanism gets out of order and the clock refuses even to tick. Watches and traveling clocks are constructed differently from the stationary clock, and they will go in any position. That is why they are relied upon more than the ornamental piece clock."—Hartford News.

On Sunday — Question May be Submitted to the Voters

That the question of whether or not Sunday baseball is to be permitted in the state of Massachusetts may be submitted to the voters of the commonwealth in the form of a referendum to be voted on at the next state election is the belief which is being started in various cities.

The chapter which has to do with the placing of questions of public policy on the application of a certain number of voters is in part as follows:

"On an application signed by 1200 voters in any senatorial district, or by 200 voters in any representative district, asking for the submission to the voters of that senatorial or representative district of any question of instruction to the senator or representatives from that district, and stating the substance thereof, the secretary of the commonwealth shall determine if such question is one of public policy, and if he shall so determine shall draft it in such simple, unequivocal and adequate form as he shall deem best suited for presentation upon the ballot. Upon the fulfillment of the requirements of this act the secretary shall place such question on the official ballot to be used in that senatorial or representative district at the next state election."

This section of the act is qualified by the following: "No vote under the provisions of this act shall be regarded as an instruction under article 19 of the bill of rights of the constitution of the commonwealth unless the question submitted receives a majority vote of all the votes cast at the election."

ARMY OFFICERS

Important Changes Announced by War Department Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Important changes in the commands of high ranking officers of the army were announced at the war department today as follows:

Major-Gen. Thos. H. Barry, commanding the eastern department with headquarters at Governors Island, New York, goes to the Philippines department, in March to relieve Major-General Bell.

Major-Gen. Wm. H. Carter, commanding the second division, now in camp in Texas, goes to the Hawaiian department to relieve Brig.-Gen. Funston.

Brig.-Gen. Clarence B. Edwards, commanding the sixth brigade in the maneuver camp in Texas, goes to Hawaii to relieve the first Hawaiian brigade, Gen. Macomb comes to Washington to relieve Brig.-Gen. Hunter Liggett as assistant of the army war college, Gen. Liggett will take Gen. Edwards' brigade in the second division.

Brig.-Gen. Pershing, recently from command of the department of Minnesota, goes to command the eighth brigade at the Presidio of San Francisco, relieving Brig.-Gen. Potts, who goes to the Vancouver barracks.

Brig.-Gen. Wise, commanding the fourth brigade of the second division, goes to command the Pacific coast artillery district.

CHANCE FOR JOB

Civil Service Examinations to be Held in This City in January

Civil service examinations for the following positions will be held in this city January 12:

Clerks and messengers.

Firemen.

Foremen of laborers—inspectors of work.

Engineers and janitors of public buildings.

Engineers in service of the city of Lowell who are employed in positions where they are required to hold first and second class licenses.

Policemen.

Those intending to take any of the examinations must file their applications with the civil service commission, State house, Boston, ten days before the date set for the examinations.

Here's Another Chance

The Massachusetts civil service commission announces a competitive examination of applicants for stenographer typewriter, class 2, to be held at Boston, on January 12, 1914.

The regulation speed tests of 75 words, 100 words, 120 words, and 150 words a minute will be given. The examination includes arithmetic, copying printed matter (on typewriter, reading accuracy, speed, and technique); transcribing rough draft (on typewriter); tabulation (on typewriter); handwriting; letter (copy); to be put in proper form, headed, paragraphed, punctuated, etc.

Only citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year have a right to apply for the service of the commonwealth; and only citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year and of Boston for the six months last past have a right to apply for the service of Boston.

Men or women desiring to take this examination may secure application blanks by applying in person, or by letter, at the office of the Civil Service Commission, Room 151, State house, Boston, Mass.

Applications may be filed at any time; but in order to entitle a person to appear at this examination, the application paper must be filed out and placed on file in the office of the commission on or before January 3, 1914, at 12 m.

DEATHS

BROWN—Narcissa Brown, aged 56 years, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 391 Worthen street.

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OPEN EVENINGS

MR. TAFT'S DIET

Gives the Fat Folks Tip and Tells Good Story on Himself

"Mr. Taft" asked the reporter, "would it be out of place to ask you how much flesh you have lost since you left the White House?"

"Not at all," Mr. Taft answered with his famous big smile in evidence, "and I am glad to be in a position to be able to tell you to the fraction of a pound. On the fourth of March, when I left Washington for Augusta, I weighed exactly 340 pounds. This morning I weighed myself again and I tipped the scale at exactly 270 pounds, which shows that in the months that have elapsed since I ceased to be president I have lost exactly 70 pounds of flesh."

"Do you feel better as a result of it?" was the next question.

"Indeed I do. I can truthfully say that I never felt any younger in all my life. Too much flesh is bad for any man. It affects a man both physically and mentally. When I left Washington last March it was at the end of almost twenty years of continuous service for the government. It was in 1892 that I took the oath as a circuit judge in the old Burnet House in Cincinnati. I then weighed 270 pounds, just my present weight."

And now, after nine months as a plain private citizen, I am back at the old 1892 figure, and I certainly feel fit and fine as a result of it."

"When I reached Augusta," Mr. Taft continued, "the reaction after all those years of hard work was most pronounced, to put it mildly. I was a month I found it hard to get up. Then came the second and normal reaction, and I began to appreciate the blessings of a long-needed rest."

"How did you manage to reduce your weight so appreciably?" Mr. Taft was asked.

"By consulting a regular physician and not a quack," was the quick answer.

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FEWER MEDICAL SCHOOLS

And 1200 Fewer Medical Students in United States Than in 1912, Says Bureau of Education

There are 14 fewer medical schools in the United States than there were a year ago; 1200 fewer persons studied medicine in 1913 than in 1912; and there was a decrease of 500 in the number of medical graduates. According to figures compiled at the United States bureau of education.

The reduction in the number of medical schools is part of a steady movement for improved medical education that has been going on for the past eight or nine years. The American Medical association, the various state medical societies, and other agencies have aroused public opinion to such an extent that 79 medical colleges have either merged with other institutions or ceased to exist, and the standard of medical training has been raised considerably.

Of the 101 medical schools now listed at the bureau, 53 are requiring one or more years of college work as a prerequisite to entering upon the study of medicine. State examining boards in North Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota, Colorado, Indiana, South Dakota and Kentucky have introduced regulations, in most cases to be made effective within a year or two, providing that every applicant for a license to practice medicine shall have studied two years in college, after a four-year high school course, before beginning medical training. A similar requirement covering one year of college work will soon be enforced by the state boards of Connecticut, Kansas, Utah, Vermont, Pennsylvania and California.

An interesting feature of the statistics is the part played by women. Although the total number of medical students has decreased, the number of women studying medicine has increased. In 1912 there were 13,151 medical students, of whom 712 were women; in 1913 there were 17,238 students, of whom 835 were women. Only 70 women graduated this year, however, as compared with 142 in 1912.

When the trouble started. From all parts of the country temperance organizations began to send congratulations, and a conference of the Methodist ministry went so far as to designate a committee of seven bishops to visit me and tell me how glad the church was that I had quit drinking. I knew one of those bishops quite well, and so I sat down and wrote him a letter. I told him that, while I was not a drinking man, and did not intend to indulge, that I nevertheless intended to serve wines at dinners given to diplomats and others who drank wines with their meals as aids to digestion. I said that if with this understanding the committee still desired to visit me I would be delighted to receive them. They decided that I was too busy and never came."

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AWFUL

What sent poor Reggy to an insane asylum?

A train of thought passed through his brain and wrecked it.

PROBABLY

"Why does Miss Schrecher close her eyes when she sings?"

"Perhaps she has a tender heart."

"I don't quite understand."

"Maybe she can't bear to see how we suffer."

DAMAGED GOODS

George told me last night he had given me his heart.

Well, it's damaged goods. He told me last week I had broken it.

CANDID ONES

"You'd better not go to your friends for criticism on your literary work. They're likely to flatter you."

"Say, you don't know my friends."

THE IRISH GENERATION

Papa, is it necessary to whip me? You ought to know.

Well, I sometimes think you don't realize how little good it does me.

OPTIMISM

That girl in the next flat is going to devote her life to music.

Well, maybe she won't live very long.

RT. REV. BISHOP LAWRENCE



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Given Reception at Colonial Hall —Rev. Mr. Grannis Speaks of the Bishop's Policies

The united parishes of St. Anne's and St. John's, Lowell, and the suburban parishes of the Episcopal church tendered a reception at Colonial Hall last evening to Rt. Rev. Bishop Lawrence of the diocese of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Lawrence.

It was one of a series of similar receptions held in different parts of the diocese in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of his consecration as Bishop. The other cities in which these receptions have been or will be held are Boston, Lynn, Lawrence, Fall River and New Bedford. The reception last night was delightfully informal and was not confined to denominational lines. The guests were the various parishes and vestrymen of the various parishes. There was music by a ladies orchestra and cake and cake were served in the billiard hall. The ladies who formed and served representing all the churches united in the reception. Clergymen of several of the local churches of other denominations were present. There were a number of representative guests including Mayor James J. Donnell and Alderman Cummings. In the receiving line with Bishop and Mrs. Lawrence were: Rev. Appleton Grannis, Rev. S. H. Johnson, Rev. Franklin Nourse, of St. Anne's; Rev. James Bancroft and Mrs. Bancroft, of St. John's; Rev. Wilson Waters and Mrs. Franklin Hinkle, All Saints, Chelmsford. Bishop Lawrence spoke informally. He expressed his and Mrs. Lawrence's appreciation of the splendid manner in which they had been received. He said that when it was first decided to con-

serve his 20th anniversary, there had been talk of a big meeting in Symphony hall, Boston, with speeches by prominent clergymen and laymen of the diocese, but that he had requested that in its place, a series of receptions be held in different places so that he and Mrs. Lawrence might shake hands with the people and chat with them personally.

Bishop Lawrence referred to the close bond between Mrs. Lawrence and the Lowell people, her mother, having been a sister of Mrs. Epson. Then she spoke of the close relationship of the church with the community. In contrast with the conditions 20 years ago, at that time, he said, there was not a single parish house in the diocese of Massachusetts. Now every parish has, in some form, a parish house.

The spoke of the value of the parish house as a connecting link between the church and the community. He said it is necessary for the church to minister to the social needs of the young people. The church stands for righteousness and purity, and it cannot be held within four walls, else the church will die and the whole community will suffer. As a part of self interest, he said, it is essential that those who represent the best things in the life of a community, should reach out and lift up those who are in need. It is the duty of the church to be on the part of the whole community, toward the community. Also, it is a Christian and a church duty to take up the work that is nearest at hand. The outpost, which used to be the western frontier, is now along the shore of the Atlantic, where foreigners are coming in. It is work of this kind

that will finally bring in a common democracy.

The official celebration of the 20th anniversary of Bishop Lawrence's consecration took place on October 4 in the cathedral church of St. Paul, Boston. It was attended by the clergy of the diocese, visiting bishops and clergy, the delegates to the diocesan convention, the wardens of parishes, the officers of diocesan organizations and distinguished guests from the city of Boston and the state. The sermon preached by the distinguished bishop on the occasion was of the same informal character as the little talk given here last evening. At that time personal tributes were paid him by Gov. Foss, Mayor Fitzgerald, Senator Lodge and scores of other distinguished laymen and clergymen.

There is no more ardent admirer of

Bishop Lawrence, both as a man and a church dignitary, than the Rev. Appleton Grannis of St. Anne's church, this city. In this Mr. Grannis follows the example of his beloved predecessor, Dr. Channing, who held a long personal friendship with Bishop Lawrence and always spoke of him in terms of the highest praise.

Speaking of Bishop Lawrence this morning and of the local reception given him last evening, Mr. Grannis said: "Bishop Lawrence is a great leader of men and I think he is acknowledged by the people of Massachusetts to be the most distinguished Protestant clergyman in this section of the country. His popularity is due largely to his splendid tact and religious tolerance for he never consciously offends the religious feelings of others and he devotes his time and great talents

to the upbuilding of the church, which he accomplishes so conspicuously. He also possesses the indefinable charm of a magnetic personality and his church leaders who strive to carry out his wishes are drawn to him by a bond of personal admiration and respect."

He is also a business man and thoroughly in touch with modern religious, religious and economic conditions. Under his jurisdiction, the Episcopal property of Massachusetts has increased in value, being larger now than before the division of the diocese one year ago. At that time the valuation of the Episcopal church property was \$100,000,000 and at present it is \$150,000,000.

Rev. Mr. Grannis called special attention this morning to an extract from Bishop Lawrence's sermon at the general Episcopal convention held in New York recently. In which he spoke of the need for religious instruction of the young, and the difficulties to be encountered in considering the possibility of teaching religion in the public schools. Following is a brief extract:

My purpose this morning is to consider one large and vital subject, and then suggest three things that are floating before us all and beckoning us onward.

The large and vital subject is one that meets quick response from the people of this country—education.

Under the conditions of this nation, with the separation of church and state, where does the church stand in the subject of education? We believe that education includes the whole child, youth and man; that it involves his physical, intellectual, moral and spiritual nature. We believe in education in its largest, richest, scientific sense. What the boy learns in school is of great importance, but it is only a part of his education; lessons, influences, forces pour into him from every quarter. We believe that the source and spring of character, which is the highest result of education, is faith in God as revealed in Christ. Education is the foundation of education, first, last and always, gives vitality, depth and harmony to the whole character.

For such an education we believe that the American people of the twentieth century will stand.

But the question is asked from every quarter: How, under our conditions of the separation of church and state, children of all faiths and no faiths in the public and many of the private schools, can there be religious education? Let us face that question frankly, for one sometimes fears that there are good people who are afraid to meet the issue.

Shall we then turn our energies to the creation of parochial and other church schools? We give high respect to those of the Roman church who, true to their convictions on this point, create church schools and pay for their administration in addition to their taxes for the public schools. And our own and other churches they are called upon to create such schools as necessary and of great help.

If this country is to remain Christian, the people of the country must be shown how they can support our great and noble school system, and at the same time bring up their children in the principles of Christian faith and character.

THE BEST EVER

Shu-Workers Dancing Party at Associate Hall a Great Success

That popular group of young men and women who are hailed by their friends as the Shu-Workers, entertained the largest crowd that has ever packed Associate Hall when they conducted their annual dancing party there last evening. Although the dance held by the Shu-Workers last winter, the party at which they made their bow to Lowell social circles was one chiefly distinguished by a crushing attendance, that held last evening was even more successful.

Through the courtesy of their local association of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, the decorations which had been issued at their dance on the previous evening remained in place for that of the Shu-Workers. These lent an additional beauty to the scene. Large American flags crowned the stage; bunting of the national colors hung from the ceiling; trillies of linen dyed in all the gorgeous colorings of the Orient invested the four walls with regal splendor; large, verdant potted palms adorned the stage, and from behind which could be seen the forms of the musicians, they completed the scene with their touch of Sylvan beauty.

Knowing that musicians are made of flesh and bone like the rest of humanity and that being so they cannot do justice to their delicate work if kept at a continual strain, the Shu-Workers provided against this by having two orchestras. These, Miner's and Broderick's alternated in playing sweet music and gave the latest dance airs with all the artistry for which they are noted.

The scene in the large hall was one which would hold the attention of anyone. As all know, Lowell is celebrated throughout the land for the beauty of her daughters. Well, they were all there. Charming as well, lacking in force in describing them for as they glided about the hall, governed in the graceful and dainty manner which is one of their noticeable attributes, stepped through the subtle measures of the waltz, the two-step and the schottische with transcendent grace, they were indeed "visions of delight."

The officers of the evening were: General manager, William B. Goddard; assistant general manager, Andrew M. Elliott; floor marshal, Michael T. Critchley; assistant floor marshal, Edward Francis Cox; chief aid, May Moore of 134 Barker Hill street, Charlestown, Mass., a part of Boston. A week ago I walked into a meat shop at 47 Barker Hill street and ordered a chicken. When the butcher went to the icebox I looked over his cash register and ran away. I was hungry and out of work. Now Christmas is coming and I want to do what is right.

The man was locked up and the Boston police notified.

THE BEST EVER

BOY SLAYERS Youngsters Who Shot and Killed Joyce Girl Sentenced

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—Thomas F. Foley, 15 years old, and Christopher Harris, 15, who shot and killed 12-year-old Mary Joyce of 194 West Third street, South Boston, were sentenced to indefinite terms in separate reform schools by Chief Justice Aldrich in the Suffolk superior court yesterday. Both boys were carrying loaded revolvers at the time of the fatality and Foley pleaded guilty to the actual shooting which caused the death.

According to Assistant District Attorney Melane, the boys found two untended revolvers on Nov. 12 in a stable in South Boston. They bought cartridges and were shopping at a target when the Joyce girl, in a group of school children, came between the boys and their target on their way from school. Foley either deliberately or recklessly pointed the revolver at the girl and fired, the bullet lodging in her head. Foley was sent to the Suffolk school for boys and Harris to the Lyman school.

Harris, the "younger" boy, was indicted for larceny in 1912 when his case was not pressed and two actions are pending against him now, one for breaking and entering and the other for malicious mischief.

GIVES HIMSELF UP

Man Hounded by His Conscience, Wanted to do Right for Xmas

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A shabbily dressed man wandered into a police station this morning and respectfully removed a dented derby as he faced the lieutenant. "I am being hounded," said the man. "By whom?" "By my conscience," said Joseph E. Moore of 134 Barker Hill street, Charlestown, Mass., a part of Boston. A week ago I walked into a meat shop at 47 Barker Hill street and ordered a chicken. When the butcher went to the icebox I looked over his cash register and ran away. I was hungry and out of work. Now Christmas is coming and I want to do what is right.

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DANCE MATRON HISTORY OF AMERICA

Made Her First Appearance at Indianapolis Last Night

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—The official matron whose duty it is to preside at all dances made her first appearance in Indianapolis last night at a dancing party given by society folk at a local hotel. In this case the matron engaged in all the dances and found no occasion to exercise any of the guests, the music of the drums. All of these things are included in her duties according to the law recently passed by the city council making the presence of a matron at dances in Indianapolis necessary before the affairs can be started.

The matron appointed for the society dance was a member of the society which conducted the affair.

ATLANTIC RATE WAR

REPORT FROM LONDON SAYS CLASH IS IMMINENT—ALL CONTINENTAL LINES INVOLVED

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—News from London that an Atlantic rate war is imminent is read with interest by shipping men today. While recent advances have failed to carry any intimation as to the progress of the negotiations to bring about a renewal of the Atlantic shipping pool it was hoped here that the present agreement which expires Dec. 31 would be extended for another year and that the work of reconstructing the pool could be satisfactorily accomplished.

The beginning of the unrest in the shipping pool extends back to Oct. 1, when the Hamburg-American line denounced the agreement as being partial to the North German Lloyd.

A rate war would involve all the British and continental lines.

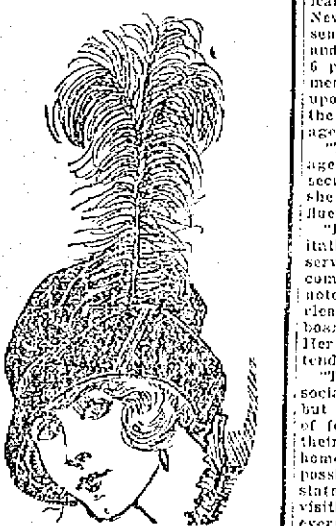
NO MONEY FOR EXPOSITION

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Regret at last night's decision of the cabinet not to provide for the erection of an official pavilion for the display of British goods at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco in 1915 is expressed by the London newspapers today. The United Kingdom Standard says the question of expense should not have stood in the way of assisting in the celebration of the completion of a great commercial enterprise by a friendly power.

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STATUARY REPRESENTING THIS COUNTRY FROM TIME OF ITS DISCOVERY TILL PRESENT DAY

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—A row of statuary, representing the history of America from its discovery by Columbus until the present day, will soon be placed along the east bank of the Schuylkill river in Fairmount park. This symbolic representation of the nation's history was made possible by a provision in the will of the late Mrs. J. Bonford Samuel, who left \$500,000 for the work. The Fairmount Art association announced yesterday that it had accepted the gift and that arrangements with the park commission had been made to permit the erection of statuary.

There were no restrictions in the will on the subjects except that they shall represent scenes of American history. Some of those considered most likely to be decided upon are Columbus discovering America, the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers, William Penn treating with the Indians, Washington at Valley Forge, the battle of Lake Erie, Lincoln freeing the slaves and the battle of Santiago.

IT'S MANAGER HERZOG

FORMER GIANT WILL PLAY IN TINKER'S OLD PLACE AT SHORTSTOP FOR CINCINNATI REDS

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18.—Charles Herzog, ball player, formerly with the New York and Boston National league clubs, was chosen yesterday as manager of the Cincinnati team for the season of 1914. After a conference with the board of directors, and a second conference with President August Herrmann and Secretary Harry Stephens, Herzog signed a contract as a player for a year and was then officially made manager.

Herzog steps into the position made vacant by the sale of former Manager Joe Tinker to the Brooklyn club. He will play at shortstop, as did Tinker, and guide the team on the field. Herzog outlined his ideas of a winning team to the board of directors, and they were approved.

Herzog said he believed in a fast, slashing team, much on the order of the New York National league team, of which he was a member before coming to Cincinnati, but added he had no trades or sales in mind at present.

Herzog is 28 years old and was born in Baltimore. He is a graduate of Maryland university. After a short minor league experience he was signed by Manager McGraw for the New York team with which he played in 1908 and 1909. He was traded to the Boston National league team and played with that club through the season of 1910 and about half of the season of 1911 when he returned to New York by a deal made for him by McGraw.

The New York leader recently made a trade of him with Cincinnati in which the New York club gave Herzog and Catcher Hartley for Outfielder Bob Bescher.

WRIGHT TALKS ON AEROPLANES

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The transformation of the aeroplane by means of a universal stabilizer, the dream of many aviators, is still far from accomplishment, according to Orville Wright, who spoke last night at a reception given in his honor by the aeronautical society.

Mr. Wright's statement, while it is encouraging, does not hold out any hopes of a perfect stabilizer in the near future. Here is what he said:

"It is premature to say anything at present about a stabilizer. We have worked for years to take the work of managing the machine out of the hands of man and let the operator attend to the steering alone. We think we have a device which will accomplish this. It will take care of the collateral and fore and aft planes but it still has a few mechanical troubles to overcome."

INDISPENSABLE SCHOOL NURSE

"Medical inspection of schools has rendered the school nurse inevitable," declares Dr. Ernest Bryant Hoag in a bulletin on "Organized Health Work," just issued by the United States bureau of education.

"Without an effective follow-up service conducted by visiting nurses, medical inspection is ineffective. Until 1908 New York city relied upon postal cards sent to parents of defective children, and was able to secure action in only 6 per cent of the cases where treatment was recommended. Immediately upon placing the follow-up service in the hands of school nurses the percentage increased to 81."

"The nurse effects what no other agency could accomplish. She not only secures action in the case at hand, but she becomes a permanent advisory influence in the homes where she visits."

"By virtue of her room-to-room visitation and her opportunities for observation, the school nurse also becomes the ideal sanitary inspector. She notes temperature, ventilation, seating, cleanliness of room, toilets, blackboards, and the clothes of children. Her hospital standards of sanitation tend to follow her into the schools."

"The school nurse is first and last a social worker. She instructs ignorant but fond mothers in the best methods of feeding, clothing and caring for their children. She is received in their homes as no other official visitor could possibly be. Dr. Oster does not overstate the case when he says that the visiting nurse is 'a ministering angel every where.'"

"That the visiting nurse is a good economic investment is evidenced by the fact that some of the large insurance companies find it to their advantage to employ a number of them to visit the homes of policy holders and give instruction in matters pertaining to hygiene. Department stores and factories also find good business in employing nurses to look after the health of their employees and to teach them personal hygiene."

"The number of school nurses needed varies somewhat according to social conditions and according to the range of duties expected of them. We find all the way from 100 to 10,000 children under the care of one nurse. In New York city each nurse has from two to seven schools, with a total attendance of about 4000 children. In Philadelphia five schools and about 5000 children are usually allotted to one nurse, while in Boston the proportion of nurses is about twice as great. It is not improbable that the ratio will be increased until it reaches an average of one nurse for each 1000 of the school enrollment. If there were one nurse for every 3000 pupils, about 10,000 nurses would be required in the entire United States. A nurse's room completely equipped is coming to be regarded as one of the essentials in every school building of eight or more rooms."

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Hurd's Lawnette White and Pink, three sizes of paper.....\$4.25 Box

Hurd's Lawnette, Pink with Gilt Edge Correspondence Cards and Letter Paper, \$2.00 Box

Hurd's Lawn Finish Pink, Blue and White Correspondence Cards, three sizes.....\$1.50 Box

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Ladies' Novelty Stitched Gloves in white, Smyrna and black with fancy embroidery and bands; embroidery in fancy colors, including black, wistaria and gold and other fancy colors, medium weight.....\$1.75, \$2.00

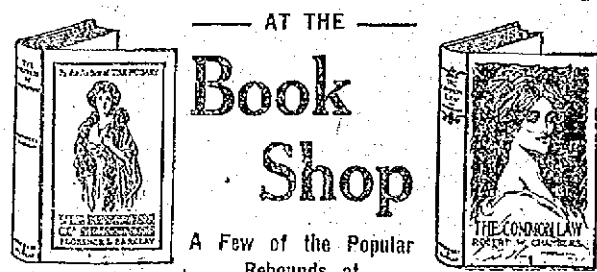
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BASEBALL AND
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THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICS

Athletes and Athletics

Billy Brooks was given a draw decision in his battle with Young Brogan at Lawrence last night. Brogan is an old timer in the ring but Brooks went at him like a bearcat. If the Lowell boy had kept his head and not tried to outbox Brogan there is no doubt but what he would have beaten his opponent.

Jack Johnson's wrestling aspirations received a bad setback Tuesday night when he attempted to throw a second rate Scottish grappler in Paris. The bout took place at a cheap music hall where patrons were not at all polite to the negro pugilist. Johnson was thrown and his shoulders pinned to the mat shortly after the go started. Bout-quotes consisting of tomatoes, eggs and other fruit were freely cast, his way as he arose after his defeat.

The French boxing commission is doing its best to have Johnson disqualified as world's champion heavy-weight and is staging the bout between Langford and Jeanette as the battle for the world's title. The American authorities still hold to Johnson, however, as the legitimate holder of heavy-weight championship of the world.

Critics of the soccer game all over the circuit are picking Clegg, the Huntington's outside left, as one of the cleverest forwards in the league. This player has been of inestimable value to his team and deserves all the credit that is being sent his way.

Over \$400,000 has already been subscribed toward the new monster athletic quarters to be erected in Detroit and the whole amount of \$1,000,000 is expected to be forthcoming this week. The new club will place the Michigan city on a par with New York and will prove a great boost to athletics in the middle west.

The performance of Ad Wolgast will be watched with great interest tonight when the ex-lightweight champ meets Charley White at Milwaukee. Wolgast has been laid up for some time and says that his rest has done him a lot of good. While White is not a champion he is a tough customer for any of the boys in his division and if Ad puts it over on him he will be given engagements in plenty.

The White Way bowlers certainly have some ally tonight. McCarthy, McDonald, Hall, Dwyer and Derlin are a mighty class aggregation, in their match last night but one man out of

the five rolled under 300 and Hall hung up a total of 341 for his three strings. Charley Brickley's election to the captaincy of next year's Harvard football team is a great thing in every way for Crimson Athletics. It is surely a fact that the great kicker deserved the honor and if Trumbull had been elected, even though he is an exceptionally good man at the center position, the college world would have looked askance at the selection. Brickley ought to make an ideal leader for another championship eleven from Cambridge.

And now we will see what Herzog will do in the role of manager. The former Giant third baseman has promised Garry Herrmann all sorts of things for next season and nothing remains but to see the new manager in action. If he can come through this year and place the Reds half way up the National league ladder he will have accomplished wonders.

Matty Baldwin "experienced" the first K. O. of his career last night and at that the old ring general was not really knocked out. Matty had all the best of the first five rounds in his bout with Phil Brock at Akron, O., but his side, which has bothered him for some time past, went back on him due to the terrible body punches Brock sent to his midriff in the sixth session. The two have been rematched to meet at the same club.

Yale rowing authorities have finally decided to hark back to the old Bob Cook stroke next spring. Their change to the English stroke did not seem to change matters in the least when they met the Crimson boat and it remains to be seen whether this shift will have any better effect. It looks from the start as though Harvard was due for a win next June.

Jack Henry, catcher on Clark Griffith's Senators, has been appointed as head coach of the American Baseball team. Henry is still remembered at Amherst for the banner athletic feats he performed while a student at that college. He was one of the greatest puck followers in the college world in his day as well as being a wonderful backstop.

Joe Jeannette is being picked by many to defeat Sam Langford in his bout tomorrow night in Paris over the twenty round route. Probably this fact is based upon the poor showing Langford made against Gunboat Smith at the Arena last long ago. It is safe to say, however, that Langford will be in the best condition possible and may fool the boxing public.

ALL CLUBS ARE BUSY

New England League Magnates are Building up Their Respective Teams—Lowell Looks Good

The Lowell baseball horizon for the season of 1914 is beginning to clear up and the prospects are much brighter for a winning combination here than they were a few weeks ago.

When the bulk of last year's star aggregation were either sold, drafted or recalled the outlook for another season looked very dubious. Realizing this fact and knowing that stupendous efforts would be necessary to land a pennant winning team here for next year Manager Gray attended the baseball meetings at both Columbus, O., and at New York in an endeavor to land some of the catchers of the big show. As has been the case since he first entered the baseball circle he landed what he wanted after a first class pitcher in Thompson and two infielders, who, although their names have not yet been made public, he feels sure, will compare favorably with Miller and Aubrey. The first baseman which Gray has under an option is also a wonder and should go a long way toward giving Lowell a great sendoff at the beginning of the season.

The other clubs around the circuit are having their troubles at present in building up a team which will have a chance with the leaders of the league. The entrance of Fred Lake and Fletcher into the league will land a lot of eyes to New England baseball for it will be the first time that this town has been given a tryout.

Infatigable in Fitchburg
Lake thinks that he can make baseball pay at Fitchburg and we sincerely hope that he can. He is depending recent deal on what the street rally says people have said apropos of baseball tandom in Fitchburg, but it is, of course, a biased account which he has received from them and as such we hope he has listed it. Every fan who travels out to the Fitchburg ball park puts a nickel into the exchequer of the company it is hardly feasible to suppose that their interest is wholly unselfish.

Fitchburg has been noted as a town where it was well nigh impossible to receive 25 cents at the gate for a ball game. Only 15 cents was asked at the majority of the amateur games. It is certain that Fitchburg fans will not see two New England teams play for less than a quarter for the league would certainly balk at lowering the minimum in any town. While we have nothing but good wishes for Lake we fear for his club in Fitchburg.

Lynn Confident
President Fraser and Manager, Pat Flaherty of the Lynn club are trying to bolster their team for both color and their chances for a pennant winner in 1914 are very bright. The club is having a great deal of trouble about locating at Ocean Park for another season.
The owners of the park, which has been used by the Lynn baseball team for many years have offered an offer for it from an amusement company and is ready to do business. It is said. The promoters of the company, however, have not been granted the Sun-

day concessions which they will have to have and the city council is being besieged daily by pleas from fans who want to see baseball continue in Lynn. The question of the park will be settled before long. If President Fraser does not get Ocean Park Lynn looks to be in a bad way for a baseball representative next season.

Burkett, no Usual, Clinch Flag
Jesse Burkett is claiming the pennant for his Worcester Hustlers and states positively that the club will be in the lead without fail. The quiet, soft spoken Jesse is doing his best to land two pitchers from the Red Sox and a first baseman as well. Burkett was a great friend of Jim McAlister, the Red Sox's former chief executive, but under the new regime Jesse does not know just where he will get off in his proposed purchases. The Worcester club is in its arms over the case of Outfielder Shorten. Shorten was drafted by the Chicago White Sox, or at least they put in a draft for him. Later, however, they changed their minds about him and rescinded the draft. At present the draft bulletin shows Memphis as the owner of Shorten and Burkett is waiting for him. Later, however, they changed their minds about him and rescinded the draft. At present the draft bulletin shows Memphis as the owner of Shorten and Burkett is waiting for him.

Clooney to Anger
Daniel Clooney, who last year controlled the Fall River club and who this year will boss the Haverhill outfit, is raising his mid voice in anger over the ease of his former catcher, Millman. According to the report of the North Carolina league's statistician, Millman was the fourth best fielding backstop in that organization last season.
Clooney claims that Perkins, another catcher, is also his property. However, nobody seems to be paying much attention to what the genial Daniel says so that he will probably calm down after a few more gassy speeches and look for something further on which to pin his exasperations. Clooney which to pin his game having success out of Haverhill this year that he always has in years past. We trust that this statement is not ambiguous and feel certain that it is not.

Brookton Up to the Air
The Brookton club is up in the air, management as well as players. The ball players haven't any idea where they are going to play their next season's home games and the management is wondering where they are going to get the fifty here to operate a team. Baseball interest in the shoe city appears to have died, out completely.
Neither Portland nor Lawrence will be greatly handicapped by losing men through the draft route. Hugh Duffy expects to sit tight in the Maine city. His aggregation is well kept intact from last season and with the addition of a few youngsters Duffy thinks that he can bring home a winner.
Portland and Lawrence stand out practically the same may be said of

WINTER FUN FOR BASEBALL FANS IN
TINKER-HERRMANN-EBBETS DEAL

1. EBBETS - 2. HERRMANN - 3. TINKER

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—The Joe Tinker-Garry Herrmann-Charley Ebbets winter baseball game is sure going to be a success. Fans the country over have had a beautiful chance to rave on the

Louis Pipher in Lawrence. The down river club has gone along for the past two years in good style, winning the flag in 1912 and giving Lowell a great battle until the last two weeks of the season when the pace which Jimmy Gray's players set proved too much for them. Pipher expects to fill up the hole left by the drafting of Carlstrom and to bolster up the weak points in his defense of last season. Pipher also thinks that he will produce the winning combination in 1914.

\$110,000 FROM BOXING

NEW LAW IN NEW YORK RESPONSIBLE FOR GREAT SUM IN STATE TREASURY

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 19.—In filing his annual report at the state house today the state athletic commission will show that since the boxing law went into effect in August, 1912, about \$110,000 has been paid into the state controller's office, this money being the amount of the five per cent. tax on the gross receipts of all licensed clubs operating under the statute. There has been a falling off in receipts during the last year, due probably to the poor quality of many so-called star bouts.

TALKS ON EUGENICS

IF POLICY TO TEACH CHILDREN IS PERSISTED IN RACE WILL DIE OUT IN 150 YEARS

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—"If the policy of teaching eugenics to children in the public schools is persisted in the race will die out in 150 years," said Prof. S. C. Cole, former controller of New York in an address last night before the Industrial club of Chicago on "Patriotism and Philanthropy."
"What are you going to do about the children whose minds are filled with the false science of a bankrupt materialism?" asked the speaker. "What of the children that fill our theaters and amusements with their incoherent products of a sick sentimentalism, the sex hygienists, to put matter in the minds of the children which the government bans from the mails?"
Mr. Cole said he based his assertion regarding a doomsday race in 150 years upon birth rate statistics of a college for women, where eugenics and sex hygiene have been taught for many years.

7-20-4
10c CIGAR
"For a holiday gift to a gentleman select a Souvenir box of the celebrated 7-20-4. Largest selling brand of 10c Cigars in the world."

Indoor bleachers in club, train, trolley and by their own firesides over this \$25,000 deal. The erstwhile manager-player of the Reds certainly did slide into the limelight and prove a real joy for the rabid followers of the national

ORIGINAL MOVIES

Made by Muybridge—Experiments in Photography Successful

The founder of the moving picture business, according to Popular Science, is Eadweard Muybridge, who began his experiments in instantaneous photography in California in 1872 and subsequently carried them forward at the University of Pennsylvania, which provided him with grants amounting to more than \$40,000 for the scientific investigation supported by the Pennsylvania university was thus the origin of an enterprise of immense practical and commercial importance. The annual receipts from the moving picture houses in the United States are about \$16,000,000. A royalty of 10 per cent. of these receipts would defray the entire cost of all the real university and research work in this country.

The experiments of Muybridge at the University of Pennsylvania were originally undertaken to study animal locomotion and in this direction were of much importance both for science and for art. Painters and sculptors represent men and animals as they appear to the eye not as they appear in instantaneous photographs, but the knowledge of the position of the body in movements first learned through such pictures is of value to the artist comparable with a knowledge of anatomy.

On the grounds of the University of Pennsylvania a head was built up of 120 feet in length painted black and a network of white threads. Opposite the head was the camera house in which were 24 cameras each having a lens three inches in diameter. The cameras were operated electrically by a motor clock so that 12 successive exposures could be made in one-half second. In some cases three batteries of cameras were arranged so that simultaneous views from different positions were taken.
Instantaneous pictures of animal locomotion were subsequently made by M. Marey in Paris who used a sensitized film so that a succession of pictures could be taken with a single lens. Edison later applied the film to the kinesiograph and to projecting moving pictures on a screen with a lantern.

Consulted Inventor of Phonograph
Muybridge, however, not only took the first photographs of moving objects but also first projected them on a screen thus leading directly to the modern exhibitions of moving pictures. This he did in lectures beginning in 1880, and on a large scale at the Chicago exposition of 1893, where a building was especially erected in which he exhibited stacks of films lying across a screen, athletes wrestling, and similar moving pictures.
In 1886 Muybridge consulted the inventor of the phonograph with a view to reproducing simultaneously visible

game. Not even Willie Shafers "heart-breaking" news from Los Angeles that he had determined to quit baseball forever could dim the lustre of the delightful and costly Tinker squabble.

actions and auditory works. Neither method of reproduction was, however, at that time sufficiently advanced, and it was necessary to wait until last year when Edison was able to synchronize in a satisfactory manner the pictures and the sounds.
Although the reproduction of a play by moving pictures and the phonograph is far from being perfected, it may be that before long such copies of plays and operas by leading actors and singers with the best possible stage settings, may be more effective than the average performance, as the photographic reproduction of a great painting may have more artistic value than an inferior original.

WOLGAST IS FAVORITE
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 19.—Ad Wolgast of Cadillac and Charley White of Chicago will meet here tonight in a ten round boxing contest. The betting ranges from even money to 10 to 8 in favor of Wolgast.

B. F. Keith's

WEEK OF DECEMBER 13

America's Premier Lyric Tenor
Will Oakland and Company
In the Melodious Singing Society, at the Grand, due to the most beautiful of the season, and one that makes you forget business cares and worries.
The Universal Favorites
LEWIS AND DODY
"Oh Look at That Out" Special Request Engagement
SIX OTHER FEATURES
Including Jordan & Doherty, Herbert and Clapham Farson, Paul Stevens, Humphreys and Hughes, Belle Hawthorne's Monkeys and the Pallu Weekly.

MERRYMAN SQUARE PLAYERS

TOMORROW
After the Matinee, Second Popular RECEPTION
By the Members of Company on the stage. Come and Meet Your Favorite. Next Week, Stupendous Christmas Attraction.
"THE PRISONER OF ZENDA"

THEATRE VOYONS

"THE HOUSE OF DEAR"
Biograph in Two Parts
PATHE'S WEEKLY
Song by Miss Dagrell.
"MY HIDDEN TREASURE"

HEAVY SCORING BRICKLEY WINS

Several Games Last Night Resulted in High Totals

Elected Captain of the Harvard Eleven by Unanimous Vote

The Tremont & Suffolk team bowled one of the season's fastest games last night in their contest with the T. & T. rollers. The final score resulted in a 146 to 137 win for the Tremont & Suffolk aggregation. The winners took all three strings. Whalen, anchor man for the winning team, rolled highest single game of 114 and the high total of 322. One game was rolled off in the Y. M. C. A. league last night, the Monhegans winning from the Nabonnets by a margin of 50 pins. The winners took the last two strings. Benefit of the losing team rolled the highest total.

The Y. M. C. A. bowlers had no difficulty in winning their match with the T. & T. C. quietest last night, winning all three strings and the total by the score of 1320 to 1225. Montgomery of the winners was high man.

The Arlingtons and Riversides rolled off their Concord league game last night with four men on each team. The Arlingtons won the contest by a generous margin. Martin and Hamilton, both of the Arlingtons, were tied for high total honors.

N. E. T. & T. CO. VS. T. & S.			
TREMONT & SUFFOLK			
Jordan	117	32	83
Farrell	102	87	102
Margus	95	95	104
McDermott	58	94	105
Whalen	101	114	108
Totals	472	522	457

N. E. T. & T. CO.			
WHITE WAYS			
O'Brien	55	111	97
Cunningham	79	79	50
Maloney	85	104	95
Bernardini	92	101	97
Mahon	45	58	100
Totals	423	475	493

WHITE WAYS VS. Y. M. C. A.			
WHITE WAYS			
McDonald	100	82	127
McDonald	104	102	100
Hall	97	114	104
Forver	90	90	83
Devlin	100	104	103
Totals	500	521	522

Y. M. C. A.			
NABONNETS			
Freeman	82	84	87
Dow	75	85	100
Wright	80	88	90
Callahan	87	80	103
Kittredge	76	85	81
Totals	406	422	457

CONCORD LEAGUE			
CURBS			
Hesslen	93	78	71
Quinn	87	87	74
Clark	87	75	81
Phelps	82	81	88
Eastman	86	26	94
Totals	435	450	417

INVINCIBLES			
Jones	82	88	87
Hammaker	84	87	82
Smith	88	88	95
Burns	85	93	83
Rogers	77	87	84
Totals	424	433	433

ARLINGTONS			
Martin	9	2	104
Devine	95	84	94
Hamilton	87	106	79
Brown	81	80	91
Totals	355	419	351

RIVERSIDES			
McGarrin	72	90	79
Maguire	85	82	88
Curtis	87	82	92
Doyle	80	82	74
Totals	330	337	332

Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE			
NABONNETS			
Denham	93	78	72
Kimball	82	79	79
S. T. Farrell	80	81	91
Benett	88	86	85
Callahan	76	84	81
Totals	428	403	411

MONHEGANS			
Atkinson	92	82	87
Tom Farrell	73	101	88
Morrison	78	88	104
W. Wilson	80	80	92
Pearson	81	85	79
Totals	399	448	431

J. P. S. VS. P. B. C.			
J. P. S.			
O'Brien	88	91	89
McLaughlin	81	85	83
Wagner	84	84	82
Montgomery	89	102	91
Hagerman	82	83	78
Totals	431	453	437

P. B. C.			
Quinn	86	87	82
O'Neill	75	81	91
Wallace	85	85	81
Sweeney	78	88	84
Totals	388	421	427

THE PLAYHOUSE

ALL THIS WEEK
The Dreamland Girls
CHORUS OF 20 CHARMING YOUNG WOMEN
CATCHY MUSIC
A BARREL OF FUN
AFTERNOON AND EVENING
Seats on Sale Tel. 811

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Charles Edward Brickley of Everett was elected captain of the Harvard football team for 1914 at a meeting held for the purpose in the rooms of his predecessor, Bob Storer, in Cambridge, yesterday. All the more impressive was the honor as Brickley received the unanimous vote of the 18 men who played on the team this year.

Trumbull, his only rival, disposed of his chances by designating Brickley as the proper candidate, and stepping aside, an action that earned him the merited approval of all.

Of Brickley's career at Harvard little need be said, as his remarkable prowess on the gridiron earned him the unqualified praise of experts as one of the greatest backfield men of all time. Of his wonderful skill as a dropkicker critics are of accord in placing him among the very limited number of those who have won lasting fame at the difficult specialty.

All through his career from school-boy to college he has been able to maintain a reputation that as lofty as it was with every succeeding year, appeared impossible of betterment, but with this season just ended he has proven that there are apparently no limits to what he is able to accomplish when the need arises.

In preparation for Harvard he attended Exeter, previous to which he had made his mark at Everett high. At Exeter his reputation earned him the predictions of all football experts who saw him play that his future in the college ranks would be brilliant, but it is safe to say that no one, not even the most enthusiastic, rated him at his real value.

Upon entering Harvard he made his freshman team and was elected to the captaincy, distinguishing himself in all his games during his "freshie" year by his wonderful ability at field goal kicking and line plunging.

Charley Makes Good
It was a recognized fact that much would be expected of him when he became eligible for the varsity team in his sophomore year, and these expectations were more than realized. In this, his first year under Haughton, he accomplished the downfall of Dartmouth in the last of the annual games between the two former rivals by kicking a goal from the field, the only score of the game. All through the season his general order of play was of such a high calibre as to lead to his selection for a place on Camp's All-American team, a selection universally acclaimed by all followers of football. It was rather freely predicted previous to this year's football season that Brickley would land it impossible to equal, let alone surpass, his showing of the previous season. That he was able to accomplish the latter is football history.

MATTY BALDWIN LOST

BOSTON BOXER QUIT TO PHIL BROCK OF CLEVELAND AFTER 6 ROUNDS, ON DOCTOR'S ORDERS

AKRON, O., Dec. 19.—Matty Baldwin of Boston lost to Phil Brock of Cleveland in the sixth round of a hard and grueling encounter here when Baldwin refused to continue fighting on advice of his physician, Dr. Robert Shinnis, who declared that Baldwin's ribs were severely injured.

Baldwin had been through a severe sixth round in which Brock punished him badly in numerous close range mixes. Matty stalled out the round. He went to his corner looking weak. His manager, Eddie Murphy, called for a doctor when Matty complained of being hurt and the doctor had an examination made. When the bell for the seventh round rang, Baldwin did not answer it.

Baldwin had the advantage of the contest up to the fifth round. He was too heavy for Brock. The Cleveland boy, however got better with each succeeding round and there is no telling how the bout would have gone had it lasted longer.

"Win that sixth round, I was unable to straighten up," said Matty. "I could not get my breath and consequently could not do myself justice. I could have continued but my manager overruled me. It was tough luck. Boston physicians told me before I came here that my left side had entirely healed and that I could go on fighting."

Lowell Opera House

The House Beautiful
1.30 to 5—DAILY—6.30 to 10

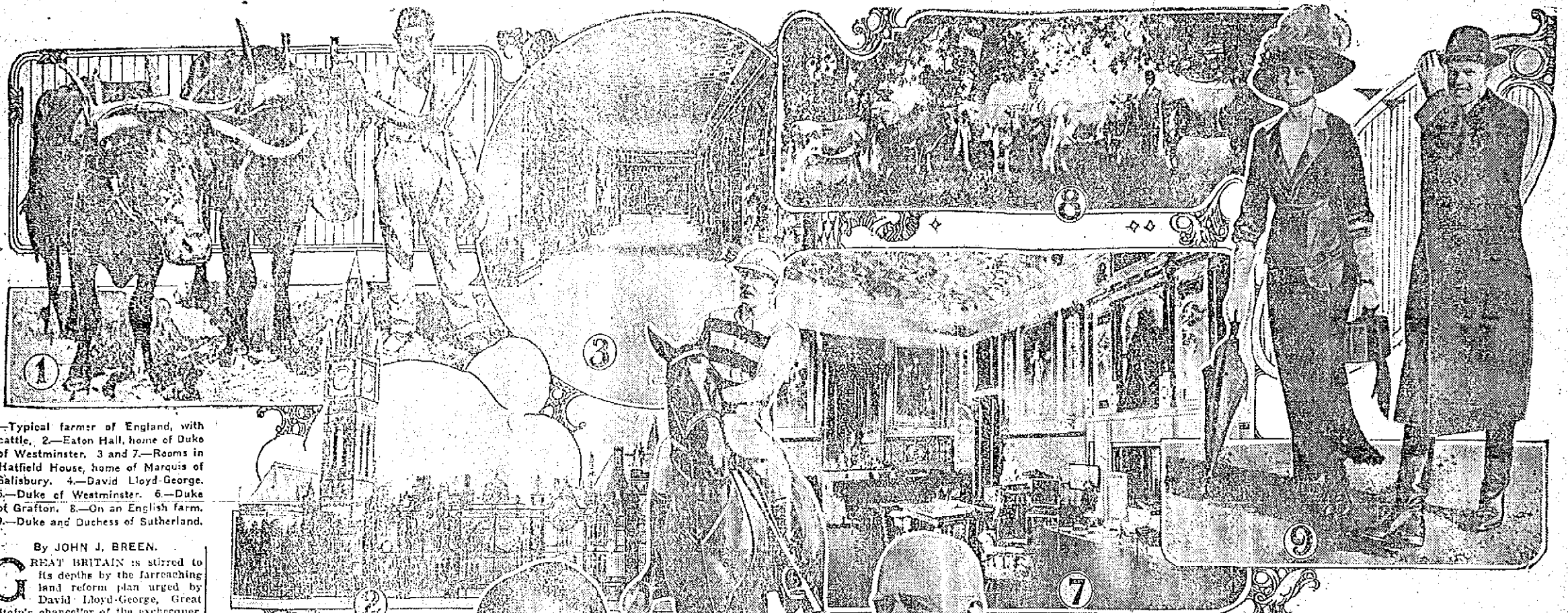
Warner's Feature For Today

"A Leaf in the Storm"
—WITH—
MISS MARION LEONARD
The Greatest Emotional Actress in Photo-Plays
5-OTHER FEATURES-5
BIGGEST AND BEST PICTURE SHOW IN NEW ENGLAND
Children 5c-Admission-Adults 10c

THE KASINO

ROLLER SKATING
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Afternoon and Evenings.

DAVID LLOYD-GEORGE'S LAND REFORM SCHEME MAY CAUSE ENGLISH PEERS TO LOSE THEIR ESTATES



1.—Typical farmer of England, with cattle. 2.—Eaton Hall, home of Duke of Westminster. 3 and 7.—Rooms in Hatfield House, home of Marquis of Salisbury. 4.—David Lloyd-George. 5.—Duke of Westminster. 6.—Duke of Grafton. 8.—On an English farm. 9.—Duke and Duchess of Sutherland.

By JOHN J. BREEN.

Great Britain is stirred to its depths by the far-reaching land reform plan urged by David Lloyd-George, Great Britain's chancellor of the exchequer. For the time being the militant suffragette campaign has been in the background. In fact, it is the biggest question that has confronted Great Britain in a decade.

Speaking for "an absolutely unadorned cabinet" the chancellor detailed the government's proposals dealing with the land problem. In effect it is proposed by his plan to have the state resume control of the land. A ministry of lands will be set up, which will not merely absorb the functions of the board of agriculture, but have new and large powers for the control and development of land both urban and rural.

Acting through judicial commissioners the ministry will have authority to deal with small holdings, disputes between landlords and tenants, a simplified system of land transfer and the reclamation of waste and uncultivated land. A forestation scheme for waste land will be carried out on systematic lines such as are adopted on the continent.

The land ministry will have full power to acquire uncultivated land at a reasonable price and to take all steps necessary for its cultivation up to the limit of its possibilities. The commissioners will also have power to fix the price of land required for public purposes. The proposals give the farmer security of tenure. Under the new powers it will not be easy to turn a farmer off his land, so long as he doesn't farm badly.

The pith of Lloyd-George's proposition is that English peers must cultivate or lose their lands.

Duke Begins an Experiment.

The Duke of Marlborough has begun an experiment in cultivation by putting Blenheim park under the plow in compliance with his intention expressed in the letters on the land question which he addressed to Winston Churchill last March.

A steam cultivator is now preparing 1,000 acres of wheat. The project is interesting for various reasons apart from the sentimental aspect, and the result will be followed with widespread interest. It is declared that the object is to demonstrate that, with wheat at \$1 a bushel or \$3 a quarter, it would pay any community to put back under the plow the land which was turned into rather poor pasturage during the time of depression. The duke has resolved to sacrifice the historic park in order to render the public service that through the influence of his example he may "see repatriated on the soil that population which has 'gone left it'."

During the last few decades British agriculture has utterly declined and decayed. Millions of acres which were fit for cultivation have been abandoned by the plow. It is said that the average value of agricultural land in England indicates a fall in capital value of £27.3 per acre in 1910 to £24.4 per acre in 1911.

Chancellor Lloyd-George has a talent for stirring up things apparently possessed by no other man in British politics. Since he began his land reform

campaign all other political topics, not excluding Ulster, have been put in the shade.

"Let us ignore him," chorused the Unionist press. "His so-called land reforms are only an electioneering dodge."

The young Duke of Sutherland, who recently succeeded to an estate of over 1,350,000 acres, offered to sell to Lloyd-George 200,000 of them at \$10 an acre. The duke's argument was that if Lloyd-George really believed, as he said at Bedford, that the owners of deer forests kept the land from cultivation for

the purposes of sport he ought to be willing to buy them at the price named and hand them over to peasant proprietors for agricultural development. It is held that this land is not worth nearly the price the duke asks for it.

Lloyd-George's Popular Appeal.

The chancellor, quickly realizing that nothing is to be gained by argument on this special point, lightly brushed it aside with the intimation that a proper government department was ready at

all times to consider proposals of this sort. Then he proceeded to make a direct appeal to that huge portion of the British population known as the shopkeeper class. There exists in England a body known as "town tenants," representing practically all the shopkeepers' organizations of the country, numbering 300,000 persons. They, like the agricultural laborers and farmer class, have grievances, and these chiefly center on their relation to their landlords. Lloyd-George declared the shopkeepers, even more than the farmers, to be the gasping landlords' prey.

"They were so," he said, "because the good will of their business, which is their greatest asset and which they, and not the landlords, create, largely depends on their continued occupancy of the premises in which their businesses had been built up and the landlords who had the power to eject them had the power to rob them of it."

The Duke of Newcastle, the Duke of Grafton, Lord Cranworth and the Earl of Portsmouth are among those who are offering their estates for sale. They realize that Lloyd-George's proposition really means penalizing the possession of land.

Following are extracts from speeches of Lloyd-George in his fight for land reform:

"How many men have you got in Britain employed on the land, farmers and laborers? A million and a half. A great industry, an important industry, a vital industry. It is vital even to defense. Every European country has realized that the most important

thing for defensive purposes is to get a large, strong, robust population on the soil. Conscriptionists, please take note of this, a million and a half! What about France? France has just under 2,000,000 on the soil, Germany has 10,000,000, Austria-Hungary 14,000,000."

"The interests of agriculture have been sacrificed to other considerations which have nothing to do with agriculture, which are injurious to agriculture and which to that extent are harmful to the whole community. Now take the wages on the land. The general average of wages paid on the land for its cultivation are lower than those which are paid in any great industry in this country. The hours of labor are longer than in any great industry."

"The workman is worse off than he used to be. There was a time when he had an interest of his own in the land—a freehold interest. The laborer was a freeholder in the land. He had his commons. There he could graze a cow that would give him milk and butter for himself and his children. There was a little patch where he could raise corn to feed them. There he had his poultry, his geese, his pigs, a patch of land where he could raise green produce for the table. He was a gentleman. He was independent. He had a stake in the country. His title was as ancient and apparently as indefeasible as that of the lord of the manor. Where has it gone to? Stolen. Landlord parliaments have annexed Naboth's vineyard."

Great Minds Work on Plans to Reduce to Minimum Loss of Life

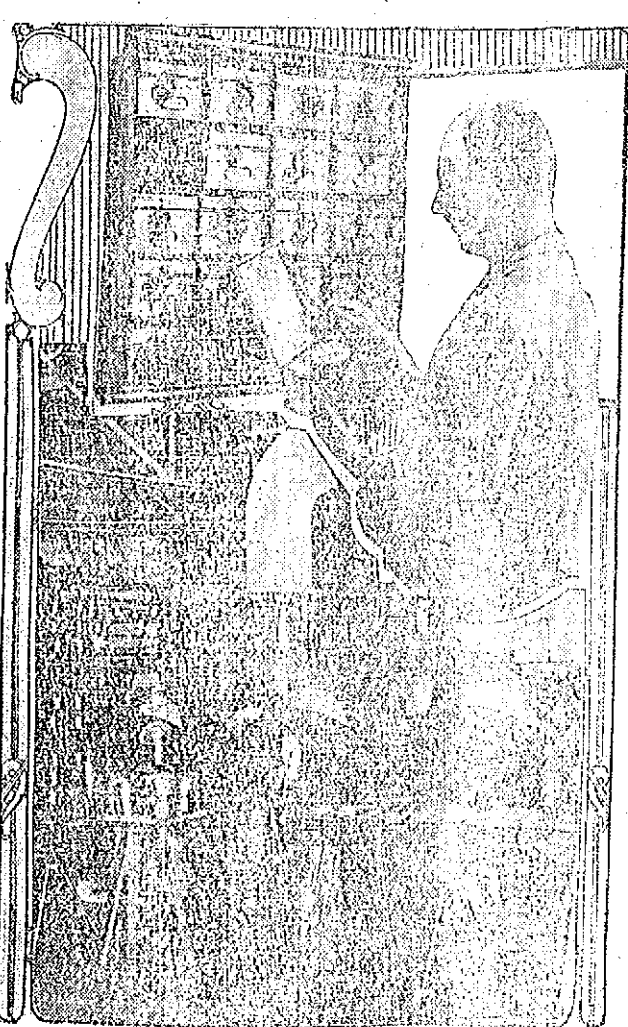
FOR the purpose of giving an impetus to the great movement of safety which has been occupying so prominent a place in European industrial and commercial life for many years and is now spreading with remarkable rapidity throughout America, an international exposition of safety and sanitation has been arranged for the Grand Central palace in New York city Dec. 11-20.

It is held by the promoters of this exposition that there is perhaps no country in the entire world where the field is so great and the need so urgent as in the United States. It would seem that the development of the resources of the country has been so rapid that safety has not been able to keep pace with it. Everywhere in America—in the railway systems, factories, mines, in fact in every industry—one can see how little human life is regarded. Property and things have had the highest value, and there, before all, are protected by law, while each man must care for his own safety.

Among those who will take an active interest in the forthcoming exposition are Sir Thomas Oliver of England, Dr. Nietner, secretary general of the central committee against tuberculosis, Berlin; Henri Mamy, directeur de l'Association des Industriels de France, Contre les Accidents du Travail, Paris; Dr. Leymann, Berlin; Dr. Ludwig Teletsky, Vienna; Dr. E. Frank, Institut fuer Gewerbe Hygiene, Frankfurt on Main; H. Hirschberg, director Algemeine Elektricitats Gesellschaft, Berlin; Dr. K. B. Lehmann, director des Hygienischen Institutes, Wurzburg; Dr. Herman M. Biggs, general medical officer, New York city; W. R. Adickes, president American Gas Institute; Dr. Rupert Blue, surgeon general, Washington; Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, New York city; Walton Clark, president the Franklin Institute of the State of Pennsylvania. The exposition is fostered by the American Museum of Safety of New York, of which Dr. William H. Tolman is director general.

Electricity is one of the greatest agents in the development of safety. At the exposition will be shown the electric button with its perfect and instant control of machinery. There will be devices for the firemen as well as safety equipment for power houses, means for protecting the public where high voltages are transmitted from one place to another and safety insulating inventions.

The sea tragedies of the past two



Photographs by courtesy of American Museum of Safety.

Upper—Worker with safety kit. Lower—Girl factory worker protected from poisonous fumes by shields over tubes.

years have aroused the world. While the wireless has proved its great worth in summoning aid from a disabled ship, the problem of safeguard-

ing the thousands of sea passengers is still occupying the best minds of the world. Commissioners are seriously studying the problem, and the results

of their findings, it is hoped, will reduce to a minimum the danger of an ocean voyage. The practical methods for carrying out their recommendations will be shown.

It is hoped to have at the exhibition a signaling apparatus, which may be destined, in the words of Emperor William, "to save thousands of lives in the coal mines of the world." This apparatus was formally presented to his majesty Oct. 25 as the first fruit of the Emperor William Scientific society, founded on his initiative the year before.

The contrivance, which is the invention of Privy Councillor Haber and Dr. Oelsner, is an acoustic indicator called a "fire-damp whistle." Its purpose is to warn miners of the approach or existence of noxious gas in a pit in ample time to enable them to retreat to safety. The idea was suggested by the emperor.

The underlying principle of the mechanism is that a whistle blown in pure air produces an even toned, continuous sound wave, while a whistle blown in air charged with noxious gases sends forth tones varying from a shrill tremolo to a jerky staccato, depending on the extent of the atmospheric adulteration.

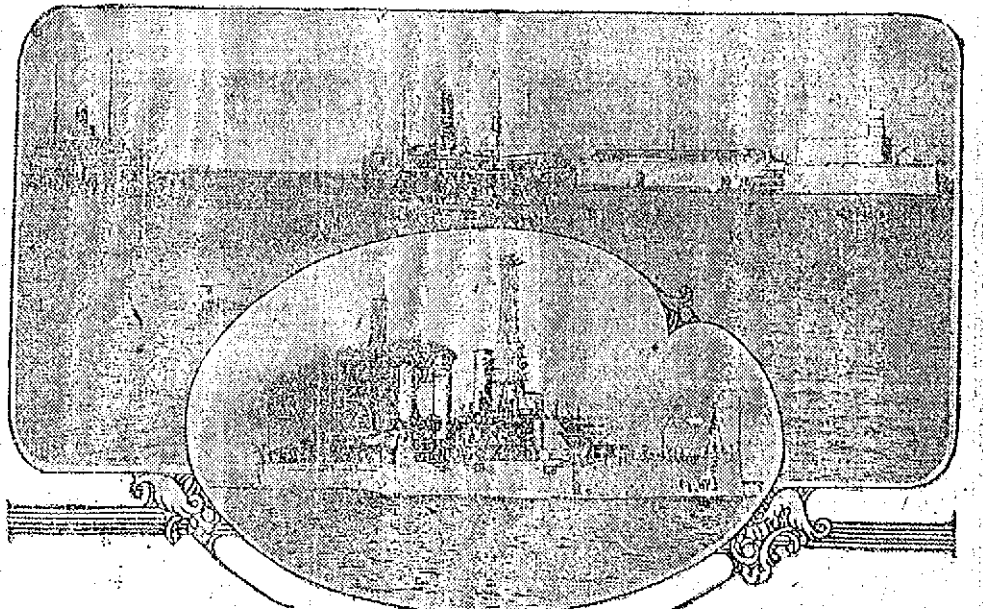
In the United States 3,000,000 persons are ill annually from preventable causes. Of this number 1,000,000 are in the working period of life. A conservative estimate of their wage earning efficiency for one year is \$400,000,000. This social and economic waste is caused by occupational diseases, industrial poisons, unprotected machinery, noxious fumes, failure to remove dust, impure drinking water, ill ventilated and poorly lighted work-rooms and generally insanitary conditions. Upward of 40,000 workmen are killed and 2,000,000 injured in industrial accidents in the United States every year.

These facts and figures have awakened industrial America to the importance of improved protection to the workers. Capitalists are now seeking with might and main for safety devices and protective appliances of every sort. Besides a realization of the tremendous economic loss which they are unwittingly causing they are also being spurred on in their search for safety by the stern rulings of the judiciary, who are now holding employers liable for even an infection on a worker's hand caused by the material he handles.

And that is just what America needs, for if this is to be a country without crippled workers, without destitute widows, without helpless orphans and without social derelicts, means of safety must multiply a thousand fold.

ARTHUR J. BRINTON.

Vera Cruz Continually a Storm Center



Photos by American Press Association.

In Vera Cruz Harbor and Battleship Virginia, ordered to Vera Cruz.

ABOUT historic Vera Cruz the stirring events of Mexico recently have centered. In the harbor there have been men of war of the United States. Vera Cruz always has been a storm focus and frequently a haven for some deposed official of Mexico. It was in Vera Cruz that John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative, and the Russian, Norwegian and German ministers met for the purpose of discussing a fixed policy in the troubled Mexican situation.

Residents of this great port fear because of its geographical location. It has survived pirates and disease. When war, either civil or foreign, broke out the port always was the first place attacked. In addition to the many times it was besieged by the forces of Spain during the sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, the port was bombarded in 1838 by the French.

General Scott bore the place through and through with solid shot in 1847, at the opening of the war with the United States. It was in Vera Cruz that Benito Juarez successfully withstood a siege of General Miramon.

Maximilian's follower, in 1859, from which the town suffered and business was ruined. Two years later the French fleet, sent to aid Maximilian, was resisted until the valiant Veracruzans ran out of ammunition. The garrison then fled to the mountains, leaving the tapping and shot riddled walls to the French.

In 1847 the American invasion of Mexico met its most determined resistance in Vera Cruz. The city was shelled from sea and land for two days and finally was taken by storm. Hundreds of the defenders were killed in action, which from the start was seen to be hopeless, owing to the superior equipment and number of the invaders. The dead were buried in niches in the wall of the cemetery and a single tablet, cracked and moss covered, tells of their heroism.

Four centuries have concentrated their calamities and buried them in vain against the struggling port in the Gulf of Mexico. Sackings by buccanniers, bombardments by half a score of nations, ravages by cholera and yellow fever, hundreds of armed conflicts in internal strife, buffeting and wreackings by hurricanes have failed

to retard the rise of the city of Vera Cruz. She leads the ports along the Mosquito coast by a large margin.

Vero it not for the predominance of foreign workmen, the lowering mountains in the distance and the white walled fort guarding the harbor's mouth it would be hard to distinguish the shipping of Vera Cruz from that of a busy corner in any world port, but once away from the water front a new film begins to run. The old Spanish town, with its new world modifications in which the modernisms, beginning to be seen on every hand, are clearly intruders, is pushed and crowded between narrow streets. Built around a central plaza is the principal square, in which saloons vie with the cathedral for a monopoly of space.

These saloons are not the noisy, blatant drinking places that Americans associate with the word, but are of the Parisian kind, in which the refreshments are taken on the sidewalks under the ample portals and where ladies and children come for teas and ices unmolested by the slightest rudeness, despite the sale of intoxicants.

FRANCIS X. MURPHY.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES

FUNERAL OF CARDINAL MARIANO
RAMPOLLA IN ROME TODAY—ALL
NATIONALITIES ATTEND

ROME, Dec. 19.—Impressive ceremonies accompanied the funeral service today for the late Cardinal Mariano Rampolla, who died Dec. 16. The body, lying in state in the chapel of the Vatican, was the center of the attention of a procession from the little palace where the prelate died to St. Peter's, where he had already gathered the members of the sacred college, the diplomatic corps, the papal court, the Roman aristocracy, and the Knights of Malta, besides a large number of clergy and laymen of all nationalities.

A requiem mass was celebrated by Monsignor Pietro Jorio, vicar of St. Peter's, and then Cardinal Vincent Vannutelli imparted absolution.

The body was afterward conveyed to the ceremony in the chapel of the Vatican chapter and later buried in the church of St. Cecilia, of which Cardinal Rampolla was the protector and which he had caused to be magnificently restored.

PAPER PUBLISHED BY WOMEN

DENVER, Dec. 19.—Announcement was made last night by John C. Shaffer, owner of the Rocky Mountain News, Chicago Post and other papers of the purchase of the Evanston Index of Evanston, Ill. The paper, now a weekly, will be published daily and conducted exclusively by women and is to follow the policy of the Shaffer papers. Mrs. Betty Catlett, special writer on the Rocky Mountain News, was chosen managing editor of the Index. It will not be a "women's publication."

BARBER FOR CHOIR BOYS

ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
HAS INSTALLED A BARBER SHOP
FOR SAKE OF UNIFORMITY

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A special barber is the latest innovation in church life. St. George's Episcopal church, which J. P. Morgan endowed with half a million dollars, has installed a barber shop for the choir. The Rev. Karl Redland, the rector, in announcing the new feature today, said:

"For the sake of uniformity in the appearance of our choirboys on Sunday and as a slight evidence of paternal appreciation we have assigned a special barber to the boys on Sunday morning."

"One of our night men, Julius Kalman, at one time a barber, is engaged in this unusual but to us very important work."

PAINTERS' UNION MEETING

New Board of Officers Chosen and Arrangements Made for Semi-Annual Conference

The regular meeting of the members of Local 19, Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers' union, was held last night in Carpenter's hall with a large attendance. Considerable business was transacted and the feature of the evening was the election of officers and the appointment of delegates to the fifth, semi-annual state conference, which will be held in this city next month.

The new board of officers chosen consisted of the following: Charles E. Dane, president; J. L. Sawyer, vice president; A. C. Barker, recording secretary; W. E. Grant, financial secretary; W. A. De Long, treasurer; Thos. Traversy, con-

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Director; Louis Bissonette, warden; John Brodie, trustee. The installation of the officers was held immediately after the election. The delegates chosen to represent the local at the state conference were Charles E. Dane and George E. Fife. The conference will be held at Carpenter's hall from Jan. 11 to 14 inclusive. Considerable business concerning the organization is to be brought to the attention of the delegates as well as matters of jurisdiction. The election of officers will also be held. About 130 delegates are expected to attend as well as representatives of the Worcester county board and the district council of Rhode Island. The delegates will be the guests of the members of the Lowell local, who will entertain them at luncheon, and who will see that they are properly taken care of during their sojourn in this city.

A large audience attended the series of lectures that was presented at the Y. W. C. A. rooms in John street last night by the Massachusetts club, an organization of young women employees of the Massachusetts cotton mill. A musical program was also rendered, much to the delight of the spectators. Miss Eva Henderson and Miss Lucy Fish presiding over the affair. Among the most attractive scenes presented were: "Evangeline," "Betsy Ross, Maker of the First American Flag," "The Age of Innocence," and "The Founding Girls."

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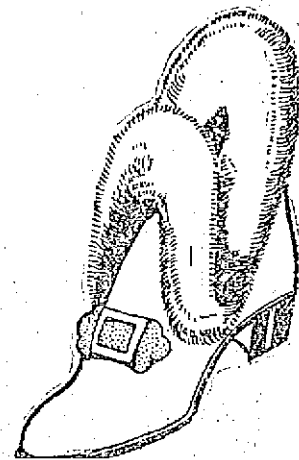
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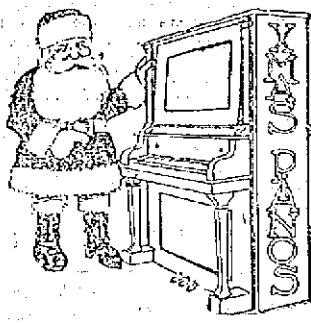
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Mrs. Katharine Gennell, wife of Police Officer Charles J. Gennell, took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 53 Bowdoin avenue, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where deceased had been a devout communicant. At 9.30 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. John Deegan, assisted by Rev. Fr. Walsh of St. Mary's church, Collierville, and Fr. O'Leary of St. John's. Fr. Walsh read a beautiful oration in Latin as subdeacon. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow case, and a large number of flowers. The family wreath inscribed "Baby Gene" was placed on the casket.

cell to Grandin, and pieces from mother, sister, Maud, the Harkins family, and the late Mrs. John H. Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gerstel, Catherine and Margaret Box, friends of the Appleton cloth room, and the late Mrs. John H. Quinn, and Mrs. Wilfred Cloutier, Mr. and Mrs. William Sweeney, John Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. Peillier, Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Colonel and Mrs. James Sullivan, Miss Sullivan, Mrs. Box and Mrs. John Allen. The bearers were Police Sergeant William Gilman, William Sweeney, Eugene Cloutier, Arthur Cloutier, John Allen and Wilfred Cloutier. At the grave Rev. W. Degan read the committal prayer, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of P. O'Donnell & Sons.

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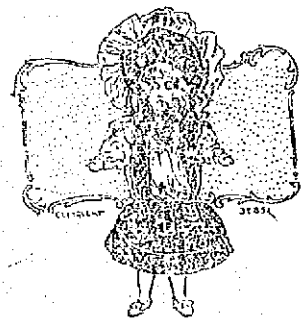
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JAMES—The funeral of James James will take place this afternoon, from the chapel of C. H. Malloy, at 4 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 8 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers C. H. Malloy.

MCHUGH—The funeral of Patrick McHugh will take place at 9 o'clock Monday morning from his late home, 228 Worthen street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 11 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Elizabeth Bros. undertakers.

MORRIS—The funeral of Mrs. Morris, his home, 101 in this city Dec. 17, at 10 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Somers, aged 70 years, 8 months. Funeral services will be held from his late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be held at 4 o'clock. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

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SMOKING CHIMNEYS

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of the work of the past month, as follows:

The United States Bunting company has been equipped with steam air jets. The Bay State mills are having their boilers equipped with steam air jets known as smoke consumers. William S. Whitney, supervising engineer, is at work on the others.

The Tremont & Suffolk Co. has six Taylor stokers attached to its boilers but there are four boilers which are without any attachment. It is claimed that there will be discontinued within a short time for those which have the attachments will be able to do the extra work.

The cost of installing jets varies anywhere from \$5 to \$200 apiece. There are many different makes and at the smaller plants these steam air jets can be worked by hand. These are the less costly kind, but at the larger plants nothing will suffice other than the automatic stokers which cost much money and which are hard to install.

During the nine months Mr. Riley has been at the head of the smoke inspection department twenty-seven steam jets have been installed as follows: Melior Plush company, 2; Saco-Lowell shops, 2; United States Cart-ridge Co., 4; United States Bunting Co., 4; Bay State mills, 1 (three under construction); J. C. Ayer Co., 2; Shaw Stocking Co., 2; Colonial building, 2; and Boston mills, 6.

The automatic stokers have been placed as follows: Merrimack Mfg. Co., 17; (2 chimneys cannot be fitted with stokers); Tremont & Suffolk Co., 5; Massachusetts mills, 8; (two recent-ly); and Appleton mills, 11.

At the Appleton mills there are fifteen upright boilers, eleven of which

are equipped with the Jones underfeed stokers. Work is now being done on the other four as fast as possible. These attachments are more difficult to make than most others.

Their Pay Increased

This was paid day at city hall and the precinct officers who served at the recent election received \$6 a day instead of \$5 as heretofore. The total number of precinct officers is 256, and just why their pay was increased a dollar a day seems a mystery at city hall. When asked why the increase had been made the city treasurer, city auditor and city clerk referred the inquisitive one to Alderman Brown, but the latter was not at his office. Mr. Brown, however, has been heard to say that he thought the precinct officers should receive \$6 a day. Most of the precinct officers were surprised to receive the extra dollar and several of them inquired if a mistake had been made. The precinct officers will probably hold a meeting and tender Mr. Brown a vote of thanks for his un-expected generosity.

To Prevent Fires

Allowing packages of excelsior, paper, etc., to accumulate in cellars and alleyways is a very dangerous practice and is held responsible for a great many fires in this and other cities. In view of this fact Fire Chief Saunders requests storekeepers to be careful and to exercise due caution in arranging flimsy Christmas tree decorations.

Who Gets the Furniture?

Now that the furniture, including desks, lounges, chairs, rich draperies, etc., purchased by Alderman Brown when he was at the head of the street department, is the property of the city, the municipal council at a recent meeting having voted to approve the bill of the Adams Furniture Co., there is some speculation at city hall as to where the furniture which has been stored for several months in the inner office of the street department, the office for which most of it was intended, will be placed. City Messenger Monahan was asked what he was going to do with the furniture and replied that he had not given the matter any very serious consideration as yet. It is understood that Mr. Brown would like to have the draperies, desk, lounge, chairs and carpets transferred to his private office in the finance department, but it is generally believed that the furniture will be returned to the offices for which it was originally intended, the inner street department office and the city engineer's office.

Skating Rink Flooded

The skating rink at Shedd park was given a "tryout" this afternoon. Supt. Kernan said he wanted to test the bottom to see if it was all right. Only a few inches of water was turned on today, for Mr. Kernan says he does not propose to fill the rink until Jack Frost comes to stay a while and he read in the papers this morning, he said, that it would be warmer tomorrow. "If the water is put in and gets frozen over," he said, "the children will load it down with sticks and stones. They do not realize that they are injuring their own sport and I do not propose to fill the rink until the weather is cold enough to make ice for skating."

Examination for Chauffeurs
The weekly examination for chauffeurs was held in the councilman's room at city hall this forenoon. Twelve applicants took the examination which was conducted by Mr. Humbert of the Massachusetts state highway commission. Some of the applicants came from Lawrence and Haverhill, and one of the trucks that drew up near city hall was marked "Lawrence Gas Light Co."

Picture of Gen. Reade
An oil painting of Gen. Philip Reade, U. S. A. (retired), has been added to the pictures adorning the walls of the mayor's reception room at city hall. The picture was presented the city by

Gen. Reade and was put in place yesterday by City Messenger Monahan. With the picture, Gen. Reade also presented his sword which has its position at the back of the picture, and on the top of the picture the national colors are gracefully folded. The mayor, after viewing the picture, complimented the city messenger on his artistic taste.

MEXICO SITUATION

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panions who used their machetes to cut their way out.

The report sent to the war office by the federal commander said the rebels were not pursued on account of darkness and the difficult nature of the country.

Persons coming from the state of Morelos today confirm the report that the activity of Zapata is due to instructions received from Gen. Carranza who was alleged recently to have sent

several emissaries to confer with Zapata and other rebel leaders in the south. They are reported to have supplied Zapata with funds for the renewal of his campaign against the federalists.

Efforts are being made to enlist volunteers in Brazil for service in Mexico in the event of an American invasion, according to El Pais today. The newspaper prints a special despatch from Rio Janeiro setting forth that Luis Gomea, an enthusiastic pan-Latinist, had issued a circular calculated to awaken a sentiment of solidarity among the Latin peoples of the western hemisphere to resist the "decided imperialism of the North American colossus."

Manuel Ugarte, the Argentine poet who was recently expelled from Mexico on account of his socialistic utterances, is said to be interested in the same scheme as Luis Gomea.

GEN. VILLA TO FOLLOW SUGGESTIONS OF U. S. AS TO RIGHTS OF FOREIGNERS
CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Dec. 19.—Gen.

eral Villa said today he would be disposed to follow the suggestions of the United States as to the rights of foreigners in Mexico. In conformity with this plan he named a committee to take an inventory of the property of the expelled Spaniards and said he would indemnify such as had not actively supported the Huerta government.

General Villa has received through the American consul representations which expressed the position of the United States in assuming moral responsibility for the welfare of citizens of other nations and which called upon General Villa for a strict accounting of his acts should the rights of any foreigners be violated.

A communication also has been received from General Carranza, the head of the revolution following the protests of other foreigners that they had been forced to pay money to the rebel cause.

Ordered Property Confiscated
"I ordered that all property belonging to Spaniards be confiscated and held pending an investigation as to who of the Spaniards aided Huerta," said Villa. "In order to guarantee the property while it is in our hands I have named honorable and responsible persons to take an inventory of it."

"It was necessary to expel the Spaniards because their lives were in danger here and it was necessary to impose a penalty of death in order that they would go."

"It is well known that in the uprising in Mexico City last February hundreds of Spaniards in the Ciudad side with Felix Diaz and with arms operated in the uprising which enabled Huerta to bring so much suffering to Mexicans."

"When I attacked Torreón, Spaniards again fired on us on the pretext that they were guarding their own interests. In Chihuahua the majority of Spaniards were Huerta sympathizers. When I entered the city I resolved upon their expulsion because their lives were in danger from the feeling held against them by our army."

"The rights of all other foreigners have been and will be protected. Arrests are being made daily of persons suspected of being Huerta sympathizers. They are held pending an investigation of their acts."

General Villa probably will remain here until the arrival of General Carranza, the time of whose coming is unknown.

UNITED STATES TROOPS KILL MEXICAN SOLDIERS IN RUNNING FIGHT
PRESIDIO, Texas, Dec. 19.—An exchange of shots between Mexican and American soldiers on the American side in the death yesterday of Luis Orozco, a federal regular from the army of Gen. Merced.

The Mexicans fired the first shots, Orozco, who lived several hours, admitted that he and a companion had crossed to the American side with a note and that when they were halted by the American sentries they fired.

Warning to Mexicans
As soon as the shooting across the border became known at United States army headquarters, a warning was sent to the federal commander that such actions must not be repeated. According to witnesses, the American soldiers on duty near where the shooting took place were informed that federal soldiers were hiding in a hut 300 yards from the river, on the United States side. The Americans went to investigate. Two Mexicans rushed from the hut, and ran toward the river.

The patrol called to them to halt. The only answer was a shot from a rifle of one of the fleeing Mexicans. The Americans returned the fire, and one of the federal soldiers dropped. The other continued firing as he ran.

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Roast Beef, From.....12 1/2c up
Lamb Stew.....8c
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C. B. COBURN CO.

First Medical Witness for the Defense Was Called Today

C. F. KEYES WILL HOLD HIS NEXT FURNITURE SALE TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 2 O'CLOCK.

SCHMIDT TRIAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The first medical witness for the defense in the trial of Hans Schmidt for the murder of Anna Ammiller was called to the stand today. He is Dr. Perry Lochenstein, physician of the Tombs. Two other doctors, who, it was said, would testify in Schmidt's behalf without pay and because they believe him to be insane, have been the witnesses waiting to be called.

Dr. Lochenstein testified that Schmidt had talked freely with him about the murder. Schmidt had described it, the doctor said, as a sacrifice of love and devotion. The prisoner had shown no emotion in the Tombs except on one occasion. This was when the physician called attention to a handkerchief embroidered with the letter "A" which Schmidt had placed over an electric light to shade it. Schmidt said the handkerchief was Anna Ammiller's and wept.

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TOOK SNAP SHOTS OF SMOKING CHIMNEYS

Smoke Inspector Riley After Violators—Com. Brown Raises Pay of Precinct Officers

In an attempt to convince owners of buildings and mill agents that they are actually violating the smoke laws, Smoke Inspector Charles Riley purchased a small camera some time ago for the purpose of taking pictures of smoking chimneys. He has quite a collection of photographs of chimneys at

his office at city hall and they furnish him with very convincing arguments. The snap shot photographs tell the story and Mr. Riley says the mill agents and others cannot get away from it. Asked what the corporations had been doing to abate the smoke nuisance, Inspector Riley gave a resume.

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XMAS EXERCISES HELD

Excellent Programs in Local Public and Parochial Schools in Honor of Yuletide Season

In most of the public and parochial schools of this city Christmas exercises were held today, prior to the closing of the schools for the annual Christmas vacations. The exercises at Notre Dame academy were held yesterday afternoon. St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's school will not be dismissed until next week at which time the Christmas exercises will be held.

The program rendered at the Notre Dame academy was a rather attractive one, and the entertainment was given in the assembly hall of the academy in the presence of all the pupils. Rt. Rev. Monsignor William O'Brien, P. R. Rev. Timothy P. Callahan and Rev. Joseph A. Curtin were present and they greatly enjoyed the program. At the close of the exercises Mr. O'Brien was presented a huge bouquet of flowers and

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WAS FOUND DEAD

Man Who Left State Infirmary in Tewksbury Committed Suicide

Fred Dion, a man who left the state infirmary in Tewksbury yesterday, was found dead this morning at 11.30 o'clock in his room at the Windsor house on Middlesex street. Dion committed suicide by taking "rough on

rats" probably last night before going to bed. Dion came to the Windsor house last evening and hired a room for the night. He was rather feeble at the time and appeared to be suffering from some malady which caused him great pain. Nothing more was seen of him by the proprietors of the lodging house until this morning when his door was forced open after repeated knockings upon it had failed to arouse any response. The dead man was only about thirty years of age, but had been afflicted with an incurable disease for several years and had grown dependent over his hopeless physical condition. Yesterday he collected what money was due him from the state institution at Tewksbury and departed. The infirmary authorities thinking that he was leaving for his sister's residence on Common street, Lawrence.

BOY IS ACCUSED OF 100 ROBBERIES

Jas. W. Prindle, Arrested in Somerville, is Wanted in Lowell and Thirteen Other Places

In the arrest of James W. Prindle in Somerville last night Chief Welch of the local police force considered that one of the most clever, as well as one of the most desperate criminals who ever operated in this city has at last been brought to justice. Although only nineteen years of age Prindle is looked upon as one of the slickest and boldest of his special type of criminal.

The Lowell police attribute at least two robberies to the young man who was arrested last night by the Somerville police on the charge of breaking

and entering, and larceny. The Vailant case as well as another smaller break on B street Supt. Welch is certain were committed by the youthful desperado and it is not at all improbable that Prindle also had a hand in the breaks made at the Wood and Sheppard residences.

Lived With Girl Here

Prindle lived in Lowell for a short time but made his escape from this locality some six weeks ago. While here he was known as Elliott and lived with a young girl who was supposed to be his wife. The girl was arrested

with him last night in Somerville and gave her name as Bertha Eldredge, 16 years of age, of Boston. She will be sent here today as the local police have a serious charge to prefer against her.

The only residence which Prindle had in Lowell that has been discovered by the police thus far is 82 Grand street. He and the Eldredge girl hired a room there and passed for several weeks as a married couple.

Their exodus from Lowell, however, was about as hasty and expeditious as their entrance had been. On the night of Nov. 7 a train boy by the name of

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DENY R.R. MEN RAN POKER GAMES IN HUB

Hill Says He Made no Charges That Legislators Were Allowed to Win as "Subterfuge"

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—A denial that he had charged representatives of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad with conducting poker games in which members of the legislature were allowed to win large sums of money was made today by Arthur D. Hill, who as attorney for a Boston paper is examining witnesses at the public service commission's hearing on certain items appearing in the railroad's expense account.

Mr. Hill said that he had made no charges, although at yesterday's hearing he asked Henry B. Bowden, a New Haven agent, if he knew anything about poker games alleged to have been played at a hotel where Bowden lived.

The denial of Mr. Hill followed the statement of William H. Coolidge, one of the railroad's attorneys that a morning newspaper had published an account of yesterday's hearing saying that Hill had charged that poker games had been conducted as a "subterfuge for bribery" by employees of the office of Arthur P. Russell, one of the railroad's counsel.

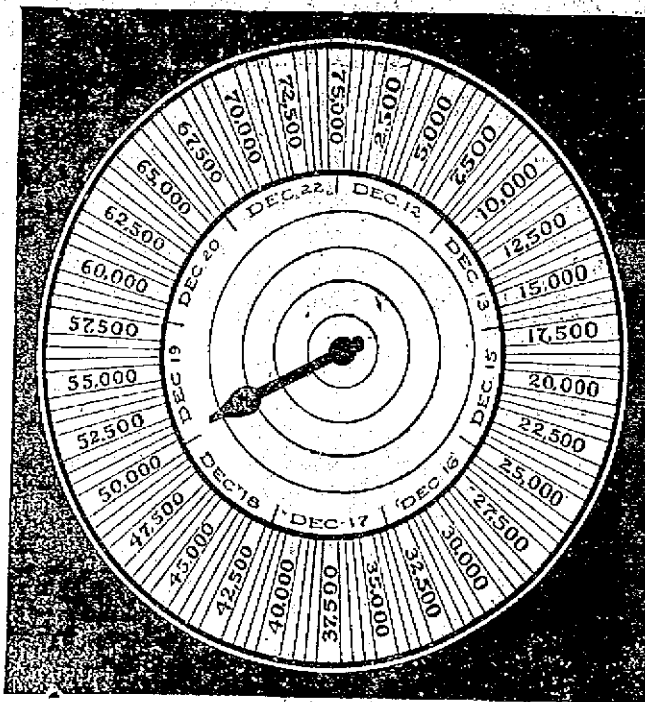
Suits Against Paper
Suits would be instituted against the paper, he said.

Mr. Russell, who was called as a witness, denied all knowledge of any poker games by either himself or by his employees for the purpose of "taking care" as he expressed it, of members of the legislature. He had never heard any suggestion of such games, he said, until Mr. Hill's questions yesterday.

He said that in the 27 years he had been connected with the railroad he had been "careful to have been as discreet as possible."

"Not only have I played no poker in the hotel mentioned," he said, "but I have not even dined there while the legislature was in session." Charles B. Strecker, president and general manager of the Financial News and democratic candidate for state auditor in 1912, said that certain vouchers showing payments to him by the New Haven company represented payments for straight display advertising matter.

Y.M.C.A. Fund \$50,000—Gift of 75 Cents From Old Ladies' Home



THE Y. M. C. A. CLOCK ON THE RUNELS BUILDING

Another interesting meeting of the Y. M. C. A. campaign committee was held this noon at the gymnasium and when the smoke had cleared away it was learned that the sum of \$3,065.50 had been pledged during the past 24 hours, making the grand total \$50,136.25.

Today's meeting was featured by a number of amusing announcements among them a gift of 75 cents from the Old Ladies' home on Fletcher street. Two of the women at the home believed that they should do something toward raising the fund and as they were not able to bring the contribution of 50 cents to the headquarters they secured another inmate to make the trip and on the way down town the third party became enthused and she too, pledged 25 cents, making a total of 75 cents. P. A. Platter announced that while walking along the street this morning a man stepped up to him and gave him a dollar saying that there were 10,000 other people in Lowell who should do the same. It was also reported that a number of uncollected subscriptions are being received and one of these was from a man in Canada who refused to give his name. The other pledges that were announced are: Pawtucketville Boy Scouts, Lowell Bleachery employees, ladies of the

Benevolent society of the First Congregational church, Abbot Worsted Co., \$200; Philip S. Marden, \$100; Lowell Commercial college, \$50; French Baptist church, \$10; Roderick MacDonald of Manchester, but formerly of Lowell, \$10; and from former Physical Director of Seattle of Hartford and the Billerica branch.

Attention was called to the meeting of the high school and employe boys held last night at the gym at which time it was voted to attempt to raise \$5000 toward the fund. The boys personally contributed \$397 which was not counted in today's total and they will canvass the city during the next few days in their effort to save the association building from being sold. Manager Williams read a notice from a local newspaper advertising the building for sale at public auction on Jan. 17, 1914, and again urged the members to work until the finish. The campaign will close Monday night and nearly \$25,000 will have to be raised between now and that time. Rev. A. H. Nowcomb offered blessing before the noon luncheon today and the committeemen appeared to be in good spirits as they partook of the excellent repast that was prepared by the women's auxiliary.

Report of Teams, Dec. 19:
Previously announced \$47,074.45

Today 3,065.50
\$50,136.25

Citizens' Committee
Team: No of Pledges Amt.
1—F. A. Bowen, capt..... 10 \$259.00
2—H. A. Smith, capt..... 4 55.00
3—Wm. P. Fractor, capt..... 7 252.00
4—C. B. Redway, capt..... 2 50.00
5—Franklin Nourse, capt..... 4 120.00
6—H. W. Foster, capt..... 11 132.00
7—E. W. Hall, capt..... 5 355.00
8—R. W. Thomson, capt..... 2 160.00
9—Geo. H. Taylor, capt..... 14 239.00
64 \$1842.00

Business Men's Committee
1—V. T. S. Bartlett, capt. 6 \$156.00
2—E. G. Campbell, capt..... 10 51.00
3—Wm. P. Fractor, capt..... 8 32.00
4—C. B. Redway, capt..... 4 50.00
5—H. W. H. Wright, capt..... 19 228.50
6—A. F. French, capt..... 10 117.50
7—W. D. Doolley, capt..... 2 30.00
8—W. T. Sheppard, capt..... 3 75.00
58 \$722.55

Young Business Men's Committee
1—Frank Gilbert, capt..... 2 \$55.00
2—E. G. Campbell, capt..... 10 51.00
3—Wm. P. Fractor, capt..... 8 32.00
4—C. B. Redway, capt..... 4 50.00
5—Theodore Pearson, capt..... 12 60.00
6—Robert Friend, capt..... 8 57.00
7—Lawrence Glass, capt..... 14 74.00
8—E. W. Doolley, capt..... 2 30.00
9—V. T. S. Bartlett, capt..... 6 156.00
10—Geo. C. Dunn, capt..... 37 155.75
131 \$701.25

FEDERALS ROUT REBELS

Zapata, Rebel Leader, Driven From Headquarters and Nearly Captured by Federal Troops

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19.—The federal troops just missed capturing Emiliano Zapata, the rebel leader, yesterday, at Nenepera ranch in the federal district about 150 miles to the south of Mexico, where he had established his temporary headquarters during the recent attacks on the government forces. The federal troops approached the

ranch from several directions, and skirmishing with Zapata's followers proceeded for an hour, resulting in the rout of the rebels. Some of the rebel prisoners told their captors that Zapata himself was in command and was one of the last to escape. He broke through the circle of federal troops with a few com-

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The Reliable Furniture Store

Opposite South Street
The Store For the Newlyweds. Call Today and Tomorrow.

THE SATURDAY FEATURES

The Saturday features, as usual, will be of special interest this week. "The Man in the Moon" has a list of old-time Lowell ball players in addition to many other topics that should be widely read. "Lady Lookabout" touches on an array of subjects, several of which refer to the Christmas season. The Spellbinder has something about coming reforms and local conditions that will doubtless command attention of everybody interested in the city government.

CASE IN JURY'S HANDS

The case of Chadwick vs. City of Lowell went to the jury shortly before the court adjourned this afternoon.

ACTION OF CONTRACT

An attachment was filed at the court house today against Jessie W. McKay and Bertha W. Dawson. The amount is \$4000 and the action one of contract.

SUPERIOR COURT

The trial of the accident case of Sarah A. Chadwick vs. the city of Lowell was resumed at superior court today and several witnesses for the plaintiff testified at the morning session. This is the last case to be heard by the jury this sitting, although there is one case to be heard by Judge Chase without a jury. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Utility Boxes	Cedar Chests	Campbell Kids
Lace Curtains	Undermattings	Waste Baskets
Japanese Screens	Infants' Wear	Women's Bath
Portieres	Aprons	Robes

IN BASEMENT

Fancy Waist Patterns	Hand Painted China
Fancy Blankets	Japanese China
Silk Down Puffs	Bric-a-Brac
Towels	Gas and Electric Lamps
Tray Cloths	Aluminum
Linen Sets	Chafing Dishes
Embroidered Pillow Cases	Percolators
Dolls	Bath Robe Blankets
Cut Glass	Eiderdown Flannel
Victrolas	Victor Records
Gramophones	Columbia Records
Silverware	

STREET FLOOR

Silk Waist Patterns	Ostrich Feathers	Umbrellas
Plain and Fancy	Fancy Stationery	Men's Neckwear
Silks	Books	Fancy Suspenders
Gloves	Rosary Beads	Men's Bath Robes
Fancy Garters	Prayer Books	Men's Silk Hose
Arm Bands	Bibles	Fancy Belts
Women's Neckwear	Calendars	Ruchings
Laces	Mexican Work	Suit Cases
Corset Cover Patterns	Quilt Work	Traveling Bags
Silk Hosiery	Drawn Work	Pocket Books
Ribbons	Battenberg	Wrist Bags
Toilet Articles	Pin Cushions	Fancy Waists
Perfumes	Fancy Work	Handkerchiefs
Toilet Sets	Jewelry	Vellings
Manicure Sets	Shell Goods	Slippers
Corsets	Hair Ornaments	Lamb's Wool Soles
	Rings	Shoes

CRIMES DID IT COURT MARTIAL

Burglar Insurance Rates in New York Increased Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A sweeping advance was made yesterday in burglar insurance rates upon risks in this city and the surrounding territory. The new rates will go into effect today and they were decided upon after an all day session of the Burglary Insurance Underwriters' association. Those who met were representatives of 21 of the largest burglary insurance companies in the country. Crime conditions in New York, it was stated, were responsible for the increase. The action of the underwriters has brought New York burglary insurance rates up to those of Chicago, which have been the highest in the country.

German Lieutenant is Charged With Cutting Down Lame Man

STRASSBURG, Germany, Dec. 18.—Lieut. Max von Forstner of the 99th infantry was put on trial by court martial today for cutting down with his sabre a lame shoemaker of Zabern, Alsace, on Dec. 2. The formal charge is of wilful assault and causing great bodily harm by the illegal use of a weapon. Lieut. von Forstner was the officer who brought about the recent troubles between the military and civilian population of Zabern by making insulting remarks in regard to the Alsatian citizens when he addressed the recruits of his company. When the townspeople became acquainted with the circumstances serious rioting and disorders broke out and lasted for several days, ending in the transfer of the 99th infantry to other parts of Alsace by order of Emperor William. The incidents caused a government crisis in Germany which was accompanied by rumors of the resignation of the imperial chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE OPERA HOUSE
Miss Marion Leonard, the great emotional actress, will be seen at the Opera House today in the three reel Warner feature, "A Letter in the Storm." This is a powerful dramatic story, strong and logical in its plot, vivid in its contrasts of life, running the whole gamut of the emotions. The story opens with Miss Leonard in a New York tenement where she is living in hopes of finding the means to support herself and little baby. A month before her husband had been killed in a mine accident, and she sought the city, leaving her child in the care of a neighbor. A youth of the underworld, who is struck by her beauty, follows her home and tells her where she can secure work. When he offers her money to pay for a new dress, she understands and drives him from the room. After he has gone the landlord comes in and demands his rent of \$10 to be ejected the following morning. In her despair she decides to go to the dance hall where the "Caddy" told her she could

and work, but once within the hall her soul revolts. How she triumphs over the forces of the underworld and regains her freedom, this story of a climax that is unusual and thrilling and proves a splendid vehicle for Miss Leonard's emotional acting.

KEITH'S THEATRE
Audiences still hold a great affection for the old songs, the sentimental ones, and whoever appears and sings them in a satisfactory manner will get plenty of applause. Will Oakland, the great California tenor, who is appearing at B. F. Keith's theatre, this week, gives a number of these songs in a manner wholly delightful. "At the Club" is the title of the little play, in which Mr. Oakland and four others appear. All singing exceedingly well. In fact audiences very generally consider it the best male singing act seen here in years. Lewis and Eddy, two natural comedians, who sing and dance about in real comedy style. Herbert and Charles Paragon have a telling little skit which deals with a flapper struck by a popular actor. She emerges from her hallucination all right, Jordan and Boherty dance well, and Blanchard and Hughes are clever singers. That Steens is one of the greatest of comedians, and Belle Hathaway's monkey acts a lot of real fun. The bill closes with the Pathé Weekly pictures, "The

MIRIAM'S SQUARE THEATRE
It is now an assured fact that the week just coming to a close at the Miriam's Square theatre, where "Jim the Penman" is being presented, will be set down as one of the most successful of the present season. And as a fitting climax to a big week, Manager Carroll has arranged for another of these popular recitations to be given.

It will take place on the stage after tomorrow's matinee and the many patrons who were disappointed in not meeting their favorites on account of the crowds which attended the first recitation will have another opportunity tomorrow. For the special holiday attraction to be presented the coming week, one which has a record for success the country over "The Prisoner of Zenda" will be given. In this grand play James K. Hackett starred and achieved his greatest triumph. It is a play which lends itself admirably for stock presentations and will be given with an enlarged cast, introducing new members and a complete production. State for the performance, including Xmas matinee and night now.

THEATRE VOYONS
In the photoplay, "The House of Discord," a biograph feature in two parts, the Voyons have secured one of the best picture plays ever witnessed. This play is taken from a society home where the mother is saved from a fatal mistake by an accident, but is separated

from her child and husband. Years pass and she sees her daughter making the same mistake. She asked permission to have the daughter visit her and promises that she will not tell the relationship. The mother's insistence finally prevails on the daughter and she gives up her meetings with her father's coachman. The father coming to get her meets the mother and the youthful love is again brought to life.

THE PLAYHOUSE
"The Dreamland Girls" will give their final performance at the Playhouse today and tomorrow, and will receive their customary cordial greeting, no doubt. The Playhouse is rapidly establishing a name for good, wholesome mirth and melody, as indicated by the constantly increasing patronage. The show given is a diversion something which one sees only at the Playhouse in Lowell. If you are tired of the movies or of vaudeville, slip into the Playhouse and have one good, long laugh. The hook was applied last night to several amateurs who deserved it. Bonds there were who gave very pleasing numbers, and the applause which followed their efforts indicated a proper appreciation from the crowd, but they failed to come up to the mark, and fell victims to the violent embrace of the hook. It was some fun.

THE KASINO
This afternoon and evening, and tomorrow, afternoon and evening, you

may exercise to music by a picked band at the Kasino. Or sitate absolutely flawless, you may skin about the spacious room, with the least effort, and with an exhilaration rarely experienced in any exercise. Courteous attendants are always present to help the untutored, but as a rule, patrons are able to guide themselves, and seldom is a full seen.

TO ASK FOR DRY DOCK
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—Arrived with facts and figures, a trainload of Philadelphians left here early today for Washington, where they planned to win the secretary of the navy over to favoring the building of a 1700 foot drydock in the navy yard in this city. In his estimates recently submitted to congress, Secretary Daniels favored the Norfolk yard for the drydock. A. Merritt Taylor, director of the department of rapid transit, was expected to speak for Mayor Blankenburg, who was unable to accompany the delegates. The comfort and pleasure of having a clean, light, airy, sanitary office for your patrons, as well as yourself, makes work easy in the new Sun building. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HITS TAFT AND TEDDY RAPS CALAMITY HOWLERS

Judge Cullen Says Criticism of Courts by Former President is Unjust—Talks on Thaw Case

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Criticism of courts, made by both former Presidents Taft and Roosevelt, was termed "unjustified" last night by Chief Justice Edgar M. Cullen of the New York court of appeals. The justice will retire on January 1, under the age law, and his remarks were made at a banquet given him by the Albany County Bar association.

The alleged attempt of a politician to extort \$50,000 from Anthony C. Douglas, a tunnel contractor, as compensation for obtaining him a contract on the construction of the Croton aqueduct was the subject of further investigation yesterday by the grand jury.

Charles Strauss, chairman of the board of water supply, which had charge of the letting of the contracts, was before the jury for more than two hours and was asked to explain why Douglas, who was the lowest bidder, did not get the contract. Mr. Strauss testified that Douglas was not given the contract because the board believed him not qualified to undertake the work. Mr. Strauss declared he had never been approached by the politician in question regarding the contract, and District Attorney Whitman is convinced that the integrity of the board of water supply in the matter cannot be impugned.

Allege Claim False
The evidence tends to show, it is said, that the politician made false representations to Douglas that he was able to control the awarding of the contract.

The jury adjourned until next Tuesday. The district attorney's John Doe inquiry into state highway graft will be resumed today.

Technicalities, red tape and an imperfect jury system, he declared, were responsible for many miscarriages of justice for which the bench was held responsible. In this connection he called attention to the Thaw case saying: "Whole responsibility for the miscarriage of justice in this case was due to the action of the jury."

Judge Cullen declared he favored

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Speaker Clark Says Panic Talk by Root and Mann is Unpardonable—Defends Tariff Law

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Speaker Clark left his chair in the house yesterday to challenge the patriotism of "Calamity" Howling" republicans, after Minority Leader Mann had made a speech picturing the country in the throes of business and industrial depression as a result of democratic tariff legislation.

As the "greatest calamity howlers in America," the speaker presented Senator Root of New York, former Speaker Cannon, Chairman Hilles of the republican national committee, former Governor Hadley of Missouri and Representative Mann.

Defends Tariff Law

Vigorously defending the new tariff law, Mr. Clark declared that if there had been any hold-up in business it was simply because prudence was being exercised. He said the wish was the father of the thought with the republicans, and suggested that it was a shame that no one else had seen signs of falling prices.

"These men," continued Speaker Clark, "propose to get into the newspapers every day, that the country is going to the dogs and business is going to the deuce and people that never thought of a panic will begin to study about it. By all thinking men this will be considered a monstrous and unpardonable performance."

Mann's Gloomy View

Representative Mann had painted a gloomy picture of the country under the democratic tariff, and the threat of political control of banking and currency. "Throughout the country today," he said, "wherever men are congregated there is that quiet disunion going on now which, when cold weather strikes the country, will end in a roar and a howl that will even penetrate the ears of the deaf statesmen on the democratic side of the aisle. Men with wives and children, willing to work, who were at work three months ago, are now seeking the opportunity. The president could do much today towards reviving confidence if he would. The democratic side of this house could do much, but they are pursuing the fatuous policies which they have talked about on the stump so many years. We are not justified in keeping silence on the situation."

Power of Suggestion

Speaker Clark declared that the

panic of 1893 came on as a result of the McKinley bill, and that there was no truth in the "fossilized statement that calamity comes with the democrats and prosperity with the republicans."

"I've heard it said if a man starts down town and enough fellows tell him he is sick, he will get sick," said Mr. Clark. "That's what these fellows are doing. They are getting something in the papers every day about a calamity, and after a while if they keep it up, they will make some people believe conditions are going to the dogs."

Speaker Clark said that there were two people whom he never talked to, but always questioned—James J. Hill, the railroad builder, and the Rev. Dr. John T. N. Johnson of Kansas City, "a Baptist preacher, who had sense enough to make three or four million dollars."

He said Hill told him that he did not think there was going to be any panic in this country. Dr. Johnson, he added, told him that the currency bill would prevent all the money from drifting into New York city and break up gambling on the New York stock exchange as far as human ingenuity could control it. The speaker said next Monday or Tuesday the house would pass the currency bill.

"Unless there is some contrary fellow here," he added, "we may pass it Saturday night and after it becomes a law the country will blossom like the rose."

Representative Mann suggested that what the country needs now is not so much money as orders for business.

Speaker Clark retorted that the country was having plenty of orders, and that in his district the largest cement plant in the country was working 2300 men on three shifts of eight hours each.

GLYPOTODONT PUT ON VIEW

Animal Lived About Half a Million Years Ago in Mexico—Skeleton Completes Series

A fossil skeleton of the glyptodont which roamed through Mexico in the early Pleistocene age, half a million years ago, has recently been mounted and placed on exhibition at the American Museum of Natural History.

This specimen is considered the most nearly complete in the museum. It was found by Barnum Brown, the fossil hunter, while he was conducting an expedition through Mexico at the time

of the Madero revolution. He unearthed it in the Pleistocene gravel beds of the San Miguel ranch, about twelve miles west of Amec, in the state of Jalisco. The glyptodont was related to the ancient armadillo.

"The chief value of my discovery," said Barnum Brown, "is that this skeleton of the glyptodont completes a series of glyptodonts ranging from Patagonia through Argentina and as far north as Texas. The glyptodont was about seven feet long and was about four feet in height. The glyptodont was a herb eater."

After digging out the carapace of the glyptodont in the gravel beds of the Amec valley, the next problem was that of transportation. It was about twelve miles from the gravel beds to the town of Amec, and the specimen weighed more than four hundred pounds. A native mail carrier was pressed into service, and after the glyptodont had been carried by eight peons from the bad lands to the point where the road began the fossil was transported in a Mexican mail wagon to Amec for shipment to New York.

Before the discovery of the glyptodont now in the American museum there were two other specimens known in Mexico. They are in the National Museum of Natural History and the National School of Engineers, Mexico City.

"It is a curious coincidence," said Barnum Brown, "that the range of distribution of this type of animal covers the territory influenced by the Spanish tongue in the Americas."

In the opinion of the explorer, further prospecting in the Mexican fossil fields would yield interesting results.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Nettie B. Jilison, sometimes called Jeannette B. Jilison, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, John J. Jilison, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County, on the first day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John A. Tyrrell to the Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, dated April 18, 1893, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 306, Page 284, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of January, 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, the following described premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: three certain lots of land situated in Lowell, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, and thus bounded and described: (1) A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on said Lowell on the westerly side of Lawrence street and thus bounded: Beginning on the westerly side of said Lawrence street at a stone bound at land formerly of one Welch; thence westerly on said Welch land 50 feet to a bound at land conveyed by Timothy Sullivan to Henry F. Abbott; thence northwesterly on said last named land 23.77 feet to a spike in the ground at the center of a right angle which is forever to be kept open for the use of the abutters thereon; thence at an angle of 82° 47' easterly along said passageway 50 feet to a spike in the ground at said Lawrence street; thence at an angle of 90° 13' southerly on said Lawrence street 25.34 feet to a stone bound at the point of beginning. Containing 1,275 feet, more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said Tyrrell by John Callaghan by deed dated April 3, 1887, recorded with said Deeds, Book 157, Page 528.

(2) A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, containing 3498.75 square feet, more or less, situated in said Lowell and thus bounded: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises at a point distant westerly thirty feet from the westerly line of said Lawrence street; thence southerly 79.55 feet to a bound; thence westerly 79.75 feet to a bound; thence northerly 82.10 feet to a bound at land of Joyce, now or formerly; thence easterly 50 feet to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Tyrrell under the name of John H. Tyrrell by Ella C. Greene by deed dated April 1, 1892, recorded with said Deeds, Book 235, Page 110. Said lot is situated in the rear of the above described lot.

(3) A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Richmond avenue in said Lowell (described in said mortgage as situate on Chase street in said Lowell) containing 4782.93 square feet, more or less, and thus bounded: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the granted premises and at the northwesterly corner of land conveyed by William Rederum to John Bulby by deed dated March 11, 1882, recorded with said Deeds, Book 151, Page 22; thence easterly on said last mentioned land 107 feet more or less to the second lot above described; thence northerly 45.26 feet to land of owner unknown; thence westerly on said last mentioned land 79 feet to said Richmond avenue; thence southerly on said Richmond avenue 47.75 feet to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Tyrrell by Peter J. Brady by deed dated March 21, 1894, recorded with said Deeds, Book 252, Page 318.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, assessments and tax sales, if any there are.

Terms: \$500 cash to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at sale.

Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, mortgagee and present owner of said mortgage.

By CHARLES H. CLOSTON, Treasurer.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 13, 1913.



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DIVORCE TO WED MONEY

COUPLE AGREE TO SEPARATE, MARRY WEALTHY PERSONS, AND LATER REUNITE

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—When Frank B. Severance, a Washington street store-keeper, and his wife, Florence Severance, decided to part last June, they secured a divorce and at the same time made a vow that each would marry a rich person, if possible, and that in later years they would marry again, when each was freed by time and nature.

That Mrs. Severance will at last marry a rich old gentleman now seems probable, for Charles Jenkins, aged 76, a wealthy real estate dealer with offices at 73 Tremont street, yesterday filed a marriage intention to wed her. She is 22 years younger than Jenkins and resides with her 14 year old daughter, Miss Dorothy Severance, at 360 Massachusetts avenue.

He Held Mortgage

Last year, when Mrs. Severance and her husband agreed to get a divorce they had been married 50 years. Shortly after the separation she mortgaged her house at 25 Rutland square and by so doing first met her husband-to-be, Jenkins, who held the mortgage. The acquaintance developed into a love affair, which resulted in their engagement.

Jenkins recently bought the house and Mrs. Severance and her daughter moved to their present home on Massachusetts avenue.

Jenkins, who resides in a brownstone mansion at 847 Beacon street, has already been married for 40 years, death claiming his wife a short while ago. When interviewed last night he stated that he did not know when the marriage would take place as the date had not been decided. He said he was rather uncertain as to whether it would ever take place, but that he supposed it would. He would not discuss the plans for the wedding.

Frank B. Severance, the former husband of Mrs. Severance, said last night that he was surprised to hear of the intended wedding. This divorce, he stated, was brought about by a mutual agreement between him and his wife. He and his wife were still on good terms, he declared, and said that he wished her the best of luck. Mrs. Severance and her daughter could not be located last evening.

TO STOP HIGH COST OF BACON

British Board of Agriculture Seeks to Produce a "Standard Porker"

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Bacon is at something like 36 cents a pound. It is so dear that an organized effort is being made to increase the "pig population," which has fallen to almost a low pitch in England as can be remembered.

A scheme is being drawn up for the board of agriculture by which it is hoped to restore the pig once more to the exalted position of "the gentleman that pays the rent."

It is hoped to get up bacon factories in a great many districts, somewhat on the model of the Mifflin factory established largely through the generosity and initiative of Lord Lucas. The practical farmers who are outlining a scheme to make these factories possible will recommend the production of what may be called a "standard porker." If a "good level pig" can be produced to type by farmers, the factory ought to pay well and the farmer get both good and quick returns. According to the description

of one enthusiast, we may see "flocks of good level pigs" grazing on the clovers like sheep and looking as uniform."

PAIGE STREET CHURCH

SCENE OF SUPPER, SALE AND ENTERTAINMENT — MONEY WHEELED CONTRIBUTES \$120

A supper, sale and entertainment constituted the attraction at Paige St. church last night. Those in charge of the supper and kitchen were: Mrs. Geo. Cole, Mrs. George Libby, Mrs. E. A. Thissell, Mrs. A. T. Green, Mrs. Margaret Hardy, Mrs. White, Mrs. Morecroft, Mrs. O. P. Sanders, Mrs. H. B. Libby, Mrs. Fred Cole, Miss Mary O'Neil, Mrs. Isaac Jennell, Mrs. George Cross and Mrs. M. L. Loughton.

The supper was followed by an excellent entertainment, in charge of Mrs. Harry Chandler, and including piano selections by Miss Olga Sargent and songs and readings by Mr. Coulshaw of Boston.

One of the principal features of the evening was the report of a wheel recently organized for raising church money. This wheel, in charge of Mrs. W. E. Hatch, consisted of 10 spokes. Each spoke comprised 10 members. This would make a total of \$100 for the wheel.

When the reports were read, however, it was found that the amount totaled \$120. The captains of each spoke were as follows: Mrs. George Cole, Mrs. F. E. Munn, Mrs. Orville Brown, Mrs. George Cross, Mrs. B. R. Harris, Mrs. Laura Howard, Miss Blanche Libby, Mrs. M. O. Batchelder, Mrs. W. E. Hatch and Mrs. W. Brown.

Sales were conducted during the evening by three tables. The Barbara club had charge of the fancy table, with the following in charge: Mrs. Leon Brown, Mrs. B. R. Harris, Mrs. Della Sanders, Mrs. W. A. Chase, Mrs. Edna Worcester, Mrs. Frank Marshall, Mrs. David Donaldson, Mrs. Herbert Cogswell, Miss Eva Pratt, Miss Clara Wilson, Miss Alice Kendall, Mrs. Maud Chandler, Miss Florence Kresington, Mrs. A. J. Brown and Mrs. N. S. Phillips. The W. T. W. club had charge of the candy and Christmas novelty tables. The former was under Miss Alice Kendall, Mrs. F. O. Dutton and Mrs. George Dutton, while the latter was attended by Miss Irene and Elsie Kittredge. Mrs. M. O. Batchelder is the teacher of the class.

100 FOOT PETITION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A petition signed by 4800 employees of the National Tube Co., a subsidiary of the United States Steel corporation, protesting against the government's dissolution suit, was presented to the senate by Senator Burton. It made a roll of over a hundred feet.

YOU WANT TODAY'S NEWS

Not Yesterday's News

THAT IS WHY YOU WANT

THE SUN

THE INSURANCE RATES

MAY BE LOWERED BY INVESTIGATION OF NATIONAL BOARD OF FIRE WRITERS

Secretary John H. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade has received a letter from Chairman George W. Booth of the Engineers' National Board of Fire Underwriters, stating that the board will visit this city within a few months for the purpose of re-inspecting the conditions here to see if a reduction in fire insurance rates is possible. Some time ago the board of trade committee on fire prevention wrote to the national board of fire underwriters pointing out to them the improvements in the local fire and water department during the past few years and also mentioned the fact that Lowell had carried out a number of the recommendations that were made by the board when the last inspection was made in the year 1905. The recent change in the fire alarm system was also considered an important factor.

The letter to Mr. Murphy reads as follows:

Dec. 15, 1913.
Mr. John H. Murphy, Secretary,
Board of Trade, Lowell, Mass.
Dear Sir:—Referring further to our correspondence of about a month ago, we beg to advise that the question of a re-inspection of the city of Lowell was referred to our committee on fire prevention at its meeting last Thursday, and it was voted to make such re-inspection when it could be conveniently arranged for.

We could probably do this about the first of February, but an important part of our inspection consists of tests of fire engines and tests to determine the adequacy of the water supply available, which are, of course, more difficult to arrange for in cold weather. We should, therefore, prefer to postpone the inspection until the weather is likely to be more favorable, and unless there is some urgent need for an early re-inspection, we will arrange to defer this inspection until March or April. Will you kindly advise us as to your opinion in this matter?

Yours very truly,
George W. Booth,
Chairman.

FOR FIRE PREVENTION

Circular Issued By Fire Commissioner, City of Boston on Fire Prevention

Charles H. Cole, fire commissioner in Boston, has issued a warning to the citizens of the Hub for fire prevention, which it followed to the letter may also be of great assistance to the residents of this city. This warning is for Christmas time and the advice therein contained will prove very valuable at all times.

The paper is as follows:

Window Decorations
Paper, cotton bunting or light fabrics of any kind should never be used in decorating stores or store windows unless they have been dipped in a solution to render them non-inflammable. An efficient fireproof solution is made up of phosphate of ammonia in the proportion of four ounces to a quart of water.

Show windows should be ventilated. Spontaneous combustion may be expected if this precaution is overlooked.

Lighting
Gas lights should be protected by a globe, chimney, screen or smoke holly and all combustible material should be kept away from such flame. Adjustable, flexible or swinging gas fixtures should not be used. Do not dress electric light globes in paper petticoats, as the heat is sufficient to start a fire.

The placing of lighted candles along the window sashes, while a very beautiful custom, is also a very dangerous one from the standpoint of fire. Whenever this is done the candles should never be left to burn unwatched, and pans of tin or zinc should be placed beneath them to catch the drippings. Great care should be taken to keep the draperies and curtains away from the flame.

Department Stores
Chemical fire extinguishers should be placed in convenient locations for quick use in case of fire. Do not pile merchandise around extinguishers. Have pails of sand and pails of water handy.

Put up "No Smoking" signs. These will be furnished upon request by this department.

Every employee should be taught exactly what to do in the event of fire. This is highly important.

At All Assemblages
In schools, churches and halls or wherever children or grown folks gather to celebrate, unusual precautions should be taken by those in charge.

Exits should be marked with red lights and kept free and clear.

Sheet in or line should be placed under every Christmas tree to catch candle drippings.

Sand, water or fire extinguishers should be kept in the most convenient place for instant use.

Every Santa Clause costume of flannel or other quickly burning material, with its cotton bunting trimmings and its false beard and wig, should be dipped in fireproof solution.

Don't trim Christmas trees with cotton bunting or paper or similar materials. The dry ends should be watched and the candles and be especially careful in making electric light connections.

See that several basins or pails are filled with water and kept in the kitchen. Water may be needed in a great hurry.

Keep a soft rug or blanket handy. If a person's clothing takes fire, the very first thing to do is to throw that person down. This changes the direction of the flame and saves eyes, face and lungs. The rug or blanket is next. Tuck it around the body to exclude the air.

Keep curtains, muslin and similar materials at least two feet away from gas jets.

For Everybody
Be unusually careful. It will pay. The one great object of all citizens should be to prevent fire and thus save human lives and property.
Charles H. Cole,
Fire Commissioner.

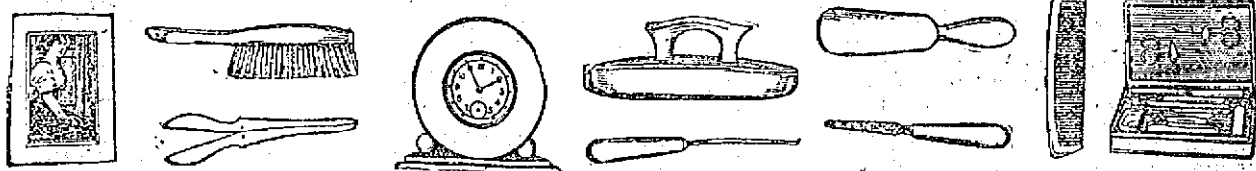
HEAVY CHRISTMAS MAIL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The parcel post system's first Christmas has brought such an enormous burden to the mails that the facilities of the post office department are being taxed to the utmost. If the crush should become so acute next week that deliveries are affected Postmaster General Burleson will have cards of notification sent to all consignees of all delayed packages.

Practical Gifts AT THE RIKER-JAYNES STORE

CHRISTMAS will soon be here, and the pertinent question many are asking themselves is, "What shall I give?" We call attention to this advertisement to gifts appropriate for every member of the family—not useless ones such as are so many times bought by many who cannot seem to find just the right article, but useful gifts that will be appreciated by the recipient. Our space for Holiday Gifts is so limited that we have room only for the best and most desirable. Every article we have placed in our stocks for holiday trade has been purchased by us with this idea in view. Below we mention a few that we are sure cannot fail to please those who are looking for something of first-class quality and thoroughly warranted by us in every respect.

GENUINE IMPORTED PARISIAN IVORY



Direct from Loonen of Paris—Parisian Ivory toilet articles are growing in favor every year. There is a richness about them pleasing to every lover of what is beautiful in this line. We are very large handlers of Parisian Ivory, our import order being one of the largest—if not the largest—sent them from America. Our assortment is the largest to be found anywhere—our prices are the lowest. We call attention to:

Hair Brushes.....1.23 to 4.98	Tooth Brushes.....30c and 35c	Hat Pin Holders.....1.23 to 1.89	Talcum Boxes.....1.23
Military Brushes, per pair, 4.23 to 7.59	Puff Boxes.....2.29 to 6.98	Cuticle Knife.....29c to 1.69	Tooth Powder Boxes, 1.69 to 1.98
Nail Polishers.....90c to 1.69	Soap Boxes.....1.09	Combs.....29c to 5.99	Cotton Boxes.....2.98
Cloth Brushes.....80c to 3.29	Pin Cushions.....2.49 to 2.89	Hand Mirrors.....1.49 to 6.79	Glove Stretchers.....1.49
Hat Brushes.....79c to 1.69	Salva Boxes.....60c to 1.32	Clocks.....2.89 to 6.39	Corn Knife.....80c
Bonnet Brushes.....1.19 to 1.83	Bonnet or Millinery Mirrors, 6.39 to 7.79	Hair Receivers.....2.29 to 4.29	Shoe Hooks.....98c to 1.98
	Shoe Horns.....98c to 1.98	Toilet Trays.....2.98 to 6.79	Nail Files.....58c
		Shaving Stick Boxes.....85c	

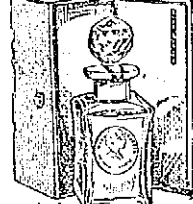
PERFUMES

A gift of perfume expresses good taste and refinement and will make a favorable impression on all lovers of fine toilet requisites.

Every popular foreign or domestic perfume may be found in our stores.

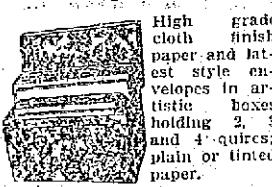
If you ask us to recommend the choicest and most popular of all we will mention the productions of V. Rigaud of Paris—today recognized as the world's greatest perfumer—the originator of the celebrated perfume, Mary Garden.

PARFUM MARY GARDEN TOILET WATERS



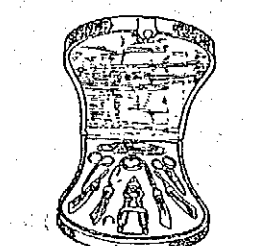
1/2 oz.....\$1.00	Riker's Seville Violet.....50c
1 oz.....\$2.00	Roger & Gallet's Violette de
Large cut glass stoppered bottle in satin lined case.....\$4	Parma.....75c
Other Rigaud Productions	Houbigant's Ideal.....4.50
Gerardine Farrar or Carolina	Coty's Rose Jacqueminot, 2.50
White, large bottle.....4.50	Colgate's Violet.....50c
1 ounce.....2.00	Hugobon's Vio Sec.....75c
1/2 ounce.....1.00	Piver's Azures.....84c
Emma Trentini, large bot. 2.50	Riker's Excelsis Vio.....75c
Marthe Cheneal, large bot. 7.50	Riker's Incensia.....75c
1 ounce.....2.50	
1 ounce (bulk).....2.00	

Fine Stationery in Fancy Holiday Cabinets



Prices from 50c to 2.75 Each

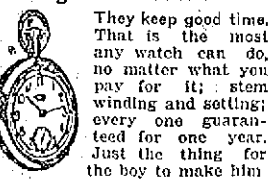
Manicure and Toilet Sets



A carefully selected assortment in a variety of styles, just the sort that will be sure to please. Prices range from

1.69 UP

Ingersoll Watches



They keep good time. That is the most any watch can do, no matter what you pay for it; stem winding and setting every one guaranteed for one year. Just the thing for the boy to make him happy and teach him to value punctuality. In a number of sizes, and in gun metal, nickel and silver plate. Prices, each,

1.00 to 2.50

Pencil Cases



Fancy Holiday Cases—Containing an assortment of pencils, penholders, erasers, pencil sharpeners, rubber bands, etc. For a lady's or gentleman's desk; appropriate both for the house and for the office. Prices 25c to 50c Each

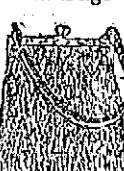
Thermos Bottles

We have a complete stock of the celebrated Thermos Bottles. When they were first placed on the market they were considered a luxury; now they are recognized as a necessity in every home—nothing more suitable for a Christmas gift than one of these bottles.

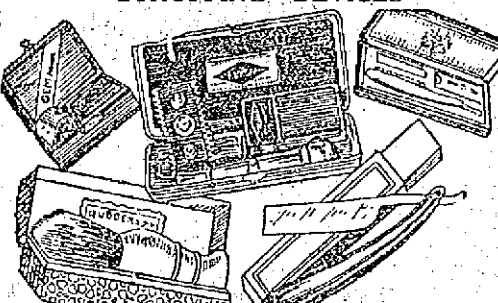
Thermos Bottles.....\$1.00 up
Thermos Carafes.....\$2.50 up
Thermos Cases.....\$1.00 up
Thermos Jars.....\$1.25 up
Thermos Coffee Pots.....\$5.00
Thermos Decanters.....\$5.00
Thermos Flasks.....\$5.00
Thermos Cups.....75c up

Ladies' Hand Bags

A very attractive one, made of fine quality genuine morocco in seal and straight grain, each bag containing a mirror and pocketbook to match the bag. The kind regularly retailed at 98c from \$1.25 to \$1.50 each



RAZORS, SHAVING BRUSHES AND STROPPING DEVICES



Every known make of Safety Razor as well as Shaving Brushes, Stropping Devices, Shaving Mirrors and all other shaving accessories.

Gillette.....5.00 up	Star.....1.50
Auto-Strop.....5.00 up	Old Style Razor.....1.00 up
Durham-Duplex.....\$2.50 up	Stropping Devices.....50c up
Clean Jr.....1.00	Shaving Brushes, from 23c up
Ever-Ready.....1.00	Shaving Mirrors, 1.97 to 4.39

Fountain Pens

We doubt if any other store can begin to show the assortment of high grade pens that we do—over fifty different kinds, including Waterman Ideal Pens—and Parker Lucky Curve—and others in fancy chased hard rubber, gold, silver, and pearl mounted, every one guaranteed to work perfectly. Prices from, each,

1.50 to 12.00

Lung Protectors and Chamois Jackets



Lung Protectors—Felt and Chamois.....45c to 1.92
Chamois Vests—Made in a great variety of designs, from the highest grade Fancy Vestings, Imported Chamois and best grade Felt.....2.50 to 4.57

Christmas Package

Accessories, in a large assortment of very pretty requirements.

Christmas Seals in boxes.....10c
Christmas Presentation Cards.....10c
per box.....10c
Christmas Tags, per box.....10c
Gold and Silver Colored Twine, per box.....10c
White Wrapping Paper, per roll.....10c
Tissue Paper, per quire.....10c

Genuine Westinghouse Electric Iron



Guaranteed by the manufacturer to give absolute satisfaction forever. It is a regular \$6.00 value. Special,

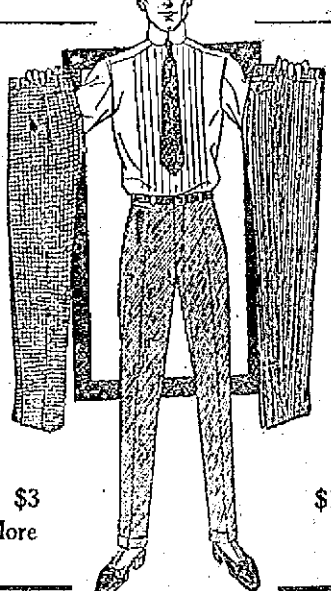
2.98

FLASH LIGHTS

For home use, in the sick room, for automobilists it furnishes a convenient, safe, bright light. Not a mere toy, but an article of great ability.

49c Up

Pants Pants



\$1, \$2, \$3 No More

\$1, \$2, \$3 No Less

We Lead—Because

No other dealer can compete with us. We make every pair in our own big factory—we make HUNDREDS of pairs where the average factory makes one pair—we buy Woolens CHEAPER because we buy MORE of them. When you buy of us you buy direct from the MAKER and you save the profits of the jobber and the retailer. You also save paying your share of the expenses of travelling salesmen because we employ NONE. WE GUARANTEE EVERY PAIR OF G. and G. PANTS.



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Pant Makers

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A. J. BARON, Local Manager.

Photo Albums

Made of the best material; be sure to get one of these and keep your pictures good. prices from

10c to \$2.25

IMPORTED TOYS

Kestner Bisque Dolls

We Offer an Unusually Fine Selection

Direct importations from the celebrated Kestner Doll Factory in Germany—the finest and most famous in the world. Just the kind so much sought after by those who desire a beautiful small doll for dressing up. Handsome faces, with moving eyes and some with moving eyelashes—long light and dark hair, and in from five inches to eight inches in length. Each

23c to 98c

Celluloid Dolls

Very attractive ones, with jointed arms and legs; these are growing more in favor each year on account of their being washable and sanitary; we have an almost endless assortment of them in all sizes, from a four-inch length to thirteen inches. 12c to 98c

Celluloid Rattles and Animals. In variety of shapes and sizes, 10c and Upwards

Imported Plush Toys

From the celebrated manufacturer, Marguerite Stoff of Germany, who is noted the world over as the manufacturer of the finest Plush toys made.

We have a splendid assortment of the most desirable kinds—Teddy Bears, Cats, Dogs, etc.—in various sizes and colors. Prices from 69c to \$7.50

FIR BALSAM PILLOWS 59c

RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORE

31 Stores in New England—94 Stores in United States—119-123 Mer'k St.

KEWPIE KANDIES

25c Box

You are SAFE when you buy at Riker-Jaynes.

DANBURY HATTERS' CASE

Judgment of \$272,000 for Plaintiffs in Famous Case That Has Been Before Courts for Years

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The United States court of appeals yesterday decided the famous Danbury hatters' case in favor of D. E. Lowe & Co., the plaintiffs, and against the United Hatters of North America. The court affirmed a judgment in favor of Mr. Lowe and against the hatters' organization for \$252,130.

With interest and costs the judgment now amounts to \$272,000. At the first trial held in 1903 the plaintiffs obtained a judgment for \$232,340.

Applies Anti-Trust Act

Sustaining the second judgment, Judge Cox declared that it was not longer debatable that "the anti-trust act is applicable to such combinations as are alleged in the complaint," and that the act made no distinction between classes of combinations or individuals.

The court held that it had been clearly established that the plaintiffs were engaged in an interstate business, and that the defendants are members of a trades union and affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, "one of the objects of the latter organization being to assist its members in any 'justifiable boycott' and with financial help in the event of a strike or lock-out."

It was shown in the trial that in March, 1901, the United Hatters had resolved to "boycott" the factory of the plaintiffs, and that Mr. Lowe had been informed by the union officials that the hatters "would resort to the usual methods" in case their plan should meet with opposition. On July 5, 1902, the plaintiffs' employees were directed

to go on strike, and it is claimed that almost immediately a boycott was established. The plaintiffs assert this measure "converted a profit of \$27,000 in 1901, into losses ranging from \$17,000 in 1902 to \$3000 in 1904."

Judge Cox said in conclusion of his finding: "No one disputes the proposition that labor unions are lawful. All must admit that they are not only lawful but highly beneficial when legally and fairly conducted, but like all other combinations, irrespective of their objects and purposes, they must obey the law."

IN COURTS 12 YEARS

Of the 240 Original Hatters' Union Defendants 30 Have Died and Two Have Gone Insane

DANBURY, Conn., Dec. 19.—The so-called Danbury hatters case has been before the courts for more than 10 years. Once it was before the United States supreme court. Of the 240 original defendants, more than 30 have since died and two have gone insane. The American Federation of Labor supported the hatters' and prominent labor officials, including Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, gave testimony at some of the trials.

A walkout of union hatters employed by D. E. Lowe & Co. in 1902 was the beginning of the case. The factory up to that time, and since, had been conducted on a non-union basis. In 1903 D. E. Lowe & Co. brought suit against Martin Lawler and 239 other members of the Hatters' union, alleging boy-

cott in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, in that interstate commerce was restrained. The company alleged that its business had been seriously injured by the boycott and claimed \$250,000 damages.

Soon after the suit was brought the American Federation of Labor decided to stand behind the defendants and to reimburse them against loss. The anti-boycott society of America supported the plaintiffs, so the litigation in reality developed into a legal battle between these two organizations.

After many delays the case was assigned for trial in the United States district court, but was not then tried, being taken to the supreme court of the United States for interpretation. In February, 1903, the supreme court handed down a decision in effect that the allegations constituted a violation of the Sherman law. In October of the following year trial was begun before the United States district court at Hartford. After a trial of 17 weeks, the jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiffs of \$17,500. Judge Pratt, now deceased, awarded triple damages in accordance with the Sherman law, so that, with costs, the total amount was \$252,340.

This verdict was set aside by the court of appeals and a new trial ordered. Judge Martin of Vermont heard the second trial in the United States district court at Hartford, and on Oct. 11, 1912 the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff of \$260,000 and costs, the amount being trebled, according to law.

The case was appealed again and arguments were heard in New York last month.

CAR LIGHTING PROBLEM

IS NOT A VERY EASY ONE—REFLECTOR MUST BE PROVIDED WITH SPECIAL APPLIANCES

Those who complain of the methods commonly used for lighting street cars must realize that a car is one of the most difficult interiors to light properly. In the first place, aside from all difficulties which reside in the proper supporting of the lamps, the physical conditions present about the maximum of difficulty from an illuminating standpoint. A street car is long and narrow with insufficient head room for the easy placing of fixtures, with seats generally running lengthwise and with sides mostly composed of windows through which the light may stream unobstructed unless they are covered by dark curtains, which makes the matter no better. Besides this, it has been customary to give the interior woodwork of street cars a rather dark finish. We have, therefore, to deal with what is practically a long and narrow room with little or no diffusion from the wall surface, and we are expected to give good light at least along the two sides without placing lights where they will shine in the eyes of the passengers. The obstacles in the way of meeting the requirements are very great, and it is small wonder that results have been often unsatisfactory.

The present increasing use of the draw-wire tungsten lamp has given greater promise of successful car lighting than has ever been in sight before, and recent experiments show that excellent results are thus obtained. There seems to be little doubt that the best method is "center-deck lighting" where the lights are in a single row at the roof of the car. In this position the lights are above the heads even of standing passengers and in good position to throw the light

Sample Garments



Made up this season for window display. Sixteen Coats in all, with Pants and Vests to match; colors in blue, brown, gray and pencil stripes; two and three button single breasted sacks; three double breasted sacks; and five overcoats.

This sale occurs twice each year—July and December. When I have no more of the good to show a customer, I dispose of the sample garment. If I have your size, while they last, YOUR CHOICE—

\$7 and \$9

All ends in stock, regardless of manufacturer's price, cost of production or labor—I mean where there is enough goods for one garment only—I will make it to your measure, any end—

SUIT or OVERCOAT To Order

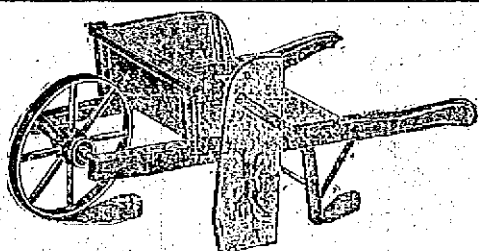
\$10 TROUSERS To Order **\$3**

P. S.—I want to keep my help busy for the next six weeks, then my Spring season starts. My policy for 20 years: Never lay a man off in dull season, he will make up for it in the busy season, when you need him most.

MITCHELL.

MITCHELL THE TAILOR 24 Central St

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CHRISTMAS TOYS

Wheelbarrows, Wagons, Velocipedes, Hundreds of Good Toys, 10c to \$10.00

CITY AUTO. DELIVERY

ERVIN E. SMITH CO.

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The 20th Century

120 MERRIMACK STREET.

FIVE MORE DAYS FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.



BUY EARLY AND GET A GOOD ASSORTMENT

For Women

FELT JULIETS

Fur and ribbon trimmed. Regular price \$1.50.

98c

CROCHETED SLIPPERS

All colors. Regular price \$1.25

79c

BOUDOIR SLIPPERS

All colors.

50c to \$1.00

FELT COMFYs

All colors. Regular price \$1.00

59c

For Children

FELT JULIETS

And Slippers. Regular price \$1.00

79c

MISSIE'S SLIPPERS

And Felt Juliets. Regular price \$1.25

89c

TRAVELING SLIPPERS

With case. Men's and Women's

\$1.50

BOYS' SLIPPERS

And Juliets, black and tan

\$1.00

For Men

SLIPPERS AND ROMEOs

Felt and kid, black and tan, **50c to \$2.00**

INDIAN MOCCASINS

For men, women and children, **75c to \$3**

RED SOCKS

Eiderdown. All colors, **50c**

BATH SLIPPERS

Men's and women's in all sizes, **\$1.00**

The 20th Century Shoe Store

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WANT UNIFORM LAWS

Sealers of Weights and Measures Hear Pleas For Standard Regulations

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The annual banquet of the Massachusetts Sealers' association took place at the Revere House last evening, about 100 members and their guests being in attendance.

Pres. Thure Hanson was the toastmaster, and the guests included Pres. A. P. Leo of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange, Senator-elect Charles W. Eldridge of Somerville, Senator-elect Arthur Phelps of Greenfield, Deputy State Sealer Levi S. Pennell of Maine and Sealer Billow of Manchester, N. H.

Music by an orchestra, vocal solos and singing by the company were provided.

Col. August P. Goetting spoke at the afternoon session of the association's annual convention in Ford hall. He told the sealers that, as they stood between the produce dealers and the public, they could do much to lower the cost of living and give the public a "square deal."

At the morning session these officers were elected: Commissioner of Weights and Measures Thure Hanson, president; Charles B. Wolley and John H. Dussault, P. E. Homberg and J. V. Brogan, vice-presidents; A. S. K. Clark, secretary-treasurer; James H. Sweeney, Charles P. Murray and C. W. Shipley, executive committee.

Commissioner Hanson spoke of the low salaries paid sealers in some places in this state. He explained the importance of having accurate scales for apothecaries and jewelers and accurate measures for surveyors. He urged uniform laws regarding weights and measures.

Other speakers were Deputy Sealer Pennell of Maine, Sealer Billow of Manchester, Sealer Bowen of Springfield, and John Connors of Cambridge. Mr. Connors proposed National legislation for uniform laws.

The comfort and pleasure of having a clean, light, airy, sanitary office for your patrons, as well as yourself, makes work easy in the new Sun building.

SOLD TO HAVERHILL BANK

Six-story Block to Be Built on Merrimack Street—Office Structure at Merrill's Court

HAVERHILL, Dec. 19.—One of the largest real estate deals in the history of the city was completed yesterday when papers were signed for the sale of the property at the corner of Merrimack and Emerson streets by the Bicknell estate of Lawrence to the Haverhill National bank.

James H. Simpson and D. C. Smith, trustees of the Bicknell estate, and Walter Coulson bought all the property bounded by Emerson and Merrimack streets and Merrill's court five years ago from the A. A. Sargent estate and

plans had been drawn when leases expired for an eight-story office building.

Since the fire two weeks ago at Merrimack and Emerson streets negotiations have been on for the purchase of that property and the papers were signed yesterday, the Haverhill National bank having arranged for banking offices on the ground floor of a six-story brick building which it will build. The property is 44 by 61 feet and is assessed for \$12,000 and the purchase price is said to be \$75,000.

Negotiations are also practically completed for the sale of adjoining property on Emerson street by the John Duncan estate to the Haverhill National bank, which will give the bank a site with 44 feet frontage on Merrimack street and 80 on Emerson street. An outlay of \$100,000 is con-

templated in the erection of the brick block. The Bicknell estate trustees also announced yesterday they will proceed at once with the erection of its contemplated six-story office building at the corner of Merrimack street and Merrill's court, an outlay of \$150,000 being involved.

DROP OF 20 DEGREES

Boston, Dec. 19.—A drop of nearly 20 degrees in the temperature between yesterday noon and midnight, due to a cool northwest wind, brought to an end a warm wave that had established a new weather record for October. The excess of heat over normal thus far this year has reached a total of 1219 degrees, making the year 1913 the warmest Boston has known since the establishment of the weather bureau.

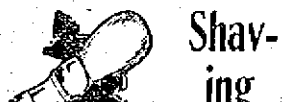
The Useful Gift is the Most Acceptable Gift After All

Sensible gifts will prevail this Christmas and there will be more of the kind of goods we sell, bought for gift giving than ever before. We can help you with your selection of articles that will be a pleasure for you to give as well as for others to receive.



TOILET REQUISITES

Manicure Sets... \$1.98 up
Toilet Sets... 98c to \$15.00
Perfumes... 25c to \$8.00 a bot.



Shaving Gifts

Safety Razors... 25c to \$25.00
Shaving Brushes... 25c up
Shaving Sets... 98c up



RUBBER GOODS



QUALITY Cigars

Boxes of 12... 50c up
Boxes of 25... 90c to \$4.00
Boxes of 50... \$2.00 to \$7.50
Boxes of 100... \$4.00 to \$9.00



Buy Her

A Box of Page & Shaw's Candy... 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50



Brushes

Military Brushes... 65c pair up
Clothes Brushes... 50c up
Hair Brushes... 25c up



RUBBER GOODS

Shop Early Shop Today



STATIONERY

Dows Druggist
—TWO STORES—
Cor. Merrimack and Central Sts.
Cor. Merrimack and Shattuck Sts.

POLICE COURT CASES

Man With Dangerous Weapon Said He Was Prepared for Police Chief of Concord

What came very near being a stabbing affair occurred yesterday noon-time at City Hall square. John Gleason was charged with assault and battery upon Demosthenes Antonopolos and the details of the case all came out at the trial.

The first scene in the case was laid at the fire in Pelletier and Leodoux's store on Merrimack street. A party consisting of the defendant and four men who worked with him were taking a look at the ruins when Gleason accidentally bumped into the complainant. The defendant was roundly abused and also grabbed by the coat. The defendant and the complainant both left the ruins at about the same time and came down Merrimack street on the same side of the street. When near the city hall Gleason crossed to the opposite side and the complainant followed.

Gleason said that he hit the complainant when he saw him thrust his hand into his coat pocket and pull out a knife. As soon as he was struck the complainant opened the knife and charged Gleason around in a circle for several minutes. Judge Enright decided that the defendant acted in self-defense and discharged him.

When the case of John Alster was called one of the most picturesque defendants that the local court has seen

this year arose in the dock and pleaded not guilty to the charges of drunkenness and carrying a concealed weapon.

The defendant's face was covered with a thick matted black beard. Officer Daniel Lynch testified that he arrested the defendant on Chelmsford street last night about 5.30 o'clock. Alster was walking along the street, said the officer, in a drunken condition, swinging a small leather satchel very recklessly.

After the arrest, the officer said that Alster attempted to strike him with the satchel. Wagon Officer Frawley told the court that the man had opened the satchel and drawn out a .45 calibre revolver. Although the revolver was not loaded, a full box of cartridges was found in the satchel.

The defendant was called to the stand and put through a rigid cross-examination by Supp. Welch. Alster said that he had lived in Acton for 12 years.

The secret of the defendant's strange actions was soon explained when he was questioned with regard to the possession of the revolver. Alster told Judge Enright that he was afraid of Chief of Police Craig of Concord, Mass. The defendant said that Chief Craig had threatened to kill him and that he (Alster) was carrying the revolver so as to be prepared for him.

This last statement of the defendant was enough to brand the man as dan-

gerous. His case was continued until next Monday, in order to give the physicians a chance to examine him.

Louis P. Leclair and Michael E. Casey were charged with drunkenness and also with disturbing the peace. The two defendants had an argument last night and resorted to primitive methods in order to reach a settlement. Middlesex street was the place of the encounter and Officer Frawley, seeing that the pair had no reference, took them to the station. A black eye each, a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction for Leclair for drunkenness and a fine of \$7 for Casey disposed of the case.

John Dudek was found on Davidson street by Officer Maloney in a drunken condition. It was his third offence and he was sent to jail for three months. Mary Reay was found drinking and making life merry with a party of gay companions. The officer also said that Mary was smoking a cigarette when he arrested her. She was sent to jail for three months.

Patrick J. McGinn was charged with drunkenness and his wife told the court that he was not an ideal husband. He does not give his family enough money to support them. Judge Enright gave him a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction. Michael Byrn was fined \$5 for his second offence for drunkenness. Mary L. Smith made her third appearance for drunkenness this morning and Officer Maloney gave her a bad reputation. She was sent to the women's reformatory at Sherborn.

Charles McGinn, a fourth offender, was ordered committed to the state farm. Mary Bradbury was fined \$5 for drunkenness.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK JAIL

LONDON PRISON WALL DAMAGED BY EXPLOSION OF BOMBS ATTRIBUTED TO SUFFRAGETTES

LONDON, Dec. 12.—An attempt, attributed to suffragettes, was made last night to blow up part of the southeast wall of Holloway jail by the explosion of two bombs. These are believed to have been secreted in the garden of a house adjoining the jail. The part of the wall attacked was near the cells in which suffragettes are usually confined.

Miss Rachael Peace, who is undergoing a term of 18 months' imprisonment for arson, is the only suffragette in jail. It is alleged that she has been subjected to forcible feeding and at recent militant meetings angry references were made to her treatment, coupled with threats of revenge.

The explosion did no damage to the jail, but the surrounding high wall, where it abuts on the garden at 12 Dalmeny avenue was so badly damaged that it will need rebuilding. No arrests have been made and apparently there are no clues to the culprits, but it is said the house has been occupied recently by a Mrs. Paley, an ardent militant and has been utilized as a rendezvous for suffragettes to signal to the inmates of the prison. The force of the explosions shattered some of the windows in the neighborhood.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

STANDARD OIL CO.

Bans Mexico—No Interest in Country Since the Rule of Diaz

The importance of the oil-producing industry of Mexico is indicated by careful reports on the subject made by the U. S. Geological survey. Those reports show little or no interest of the Standard Oil Company in Mexico in 1911 and 1912, and this finding fits in with rumors often published that the Cowdray interests preempted the field against the Standard Oil in the last days of the Diaz regime.

According to the geological survey's report of 1912, 95 per cent. of the oil produced in Mexico was handled by two concerns—the Doheny interests of the United States said to have headquarters in California, and the Pearson syndicate of which Lord Cowdray, formerly Sir William Pearson, is head. The Pearsons operate through the Compania Mexicana de Petroleo El Aguila, a producing refining and selling company, with headquarters near Tuxpan, known as the Eagle Oil company; the Mexican Eagle Transportation Company, with a fleet of tank steamers, built or in process of building, of 200,000 tons cargo capacity, and the Anglo-Mexican Petroleum Products Company, an export sales corporation.

The Doheny interests are concerned with all phases of the industry except refining and selling to the ultimate consumer. They operate through the Mexican Petroleum Company of Delaware, Limited, which owns the Alcan, Huasteca, Tuxpan, and Tanihuia Petroleum companies, all producers and marketers, and the Petroleum Transport Company of Maine, with a fleet of oil tankers of 37,000 tons capacity.

The Waters-Pierce Oil Company, once a subsidiary in Texas of the Standard Oil company, is mentioned in the report chiefly as a purchaser from the producing companies, though in 1911 the company itself went into the producing business in Mexico in the Tuxpan district, not far from Tampico. A well-known Washington lawyer, who was counsel for the Waters-Pierce company, received \$50,000 in gold from President Madero's brother this day the president took office and this lawyer is now the local adviser of the constitutionalists.

The production of oil became a great industry just about the time the revolutionary movement gained its greatest impetus. In 1907 the total output was only about 1,000,000 barrels. By 1910 the output had increased to only 2,000,000 barrels; but in 1911 it jumped to 14,551,000 barrels and the next year it amounted to 16,558,000. Since then, according to the Geological survey, the output has been limited only by the tanking capacity of the steamers employed to transport the oil. Disturbances have interfered so far that most of the wells are capped to prevent the flow of oil.

"Oil companies by the score," says the Geological survey's report, referring to the scramble for concessions in the hinterland of Tampico and Tuxpan, sought and obtained land holdings during the year 1911, and their operations will be factors of the succeeding annual period. One was the Pearson interest, with the greatest oil well ever drilled in the world. The other constitutes the Doheny interests.

"The stimulus given to the Mexican oil trade by the development of the great Petrolero del Llano (Pearson) and Juan Casana (Doheny) oil fields at the close of 1910 turned the energy of the large companies from the purchase of petroleum pools to the work of marketing a product, embarrassingly large."

Fifty cents a barrel is thought to be a fair valuation to put upon the Mexican oil; so the output for 1912 was worth something more than \$8,000,000 in gold. At this valuation, according to reports to the state department, the oil now stored at Tuxpan and Tampico is worth about \$5,500,000. At Tampico are tanked about 18,000,000 barrels, and at Tuxpan about 5,000,000.

SHOWERS OF BOMBS

SPANISH AVIATORS RAIN BOMBS ON MOORS AND GUIDE THOOPS, WHO ROUTE TRIBESMEN

MADRID, Dec. 13.—A large force of Moorish tribesmen, routed with heavy loss yesterday by the Spanish troops, at Aluley Abslam, Spanish Morocco. Spanish military aviators threw them into disorder with showers of bombs.

The Spaniards attacked the Moors with a brigade of sharpshooters, a battalion of infantry, four batteries of artillery and a large body of native auxiliaries.

When the order for the general advance of the Spanish column was given, the advance guard discovered several thousand Moorish mountaineers concealed in the irregularities of the ground.

A flotilla of military aviators was sent up to reconnoiter. By means of flags, the aviators guided the troops. The aviators went up almost out of range of rifle fire and flew here and there above the places where the Moors were in the greatest numbers. Then they delivered what the despatch to the Spanish war office described as a "veritable rain of bombs" tossed by hand by the aviators into the midst of the Moors.

After this bombardment the Spanish infantry charged with the bayonet and dislodged the Moors from their positions, causing them to flee in great disorder, leaving large numbers of dead and wounded on the field.

The Spanish troops also lost a considerable number of men, as the rifle fire of the tribesmen was very accurate.

LITTLE FACT STORIES

A curious medium of exchange in Scotland not many years ago was hand made nails. This is equalled by Switzerland, where eggs are still current coin. Eggs would be rather risky coin to deposit in the bank for several reasons, but not so wheat and oats, which have been used for all purposes of sale and purchase in Norway and have even been banked. The national corn crop of Mexico is maize, and not very long ago formed the chief money of that republic.

In the time of our grandfathers tobacco was used almost exclusively in Virginia instead of gold and silver. In Newfoundland dried codfish was at one time a great medium of exchange. It had the advantage of keeping indefinitely and it is said that the Newfoundland miser got as much pleasure from the odor of his possession as

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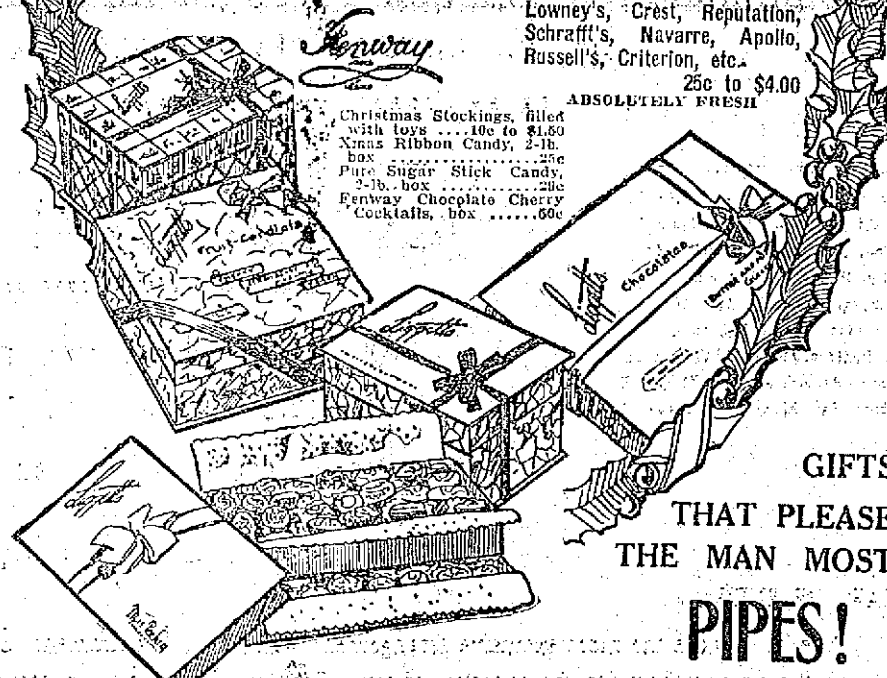
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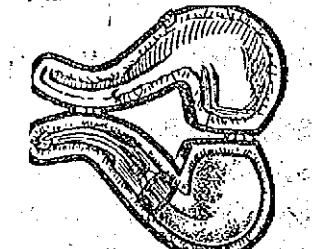
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though it were from Arabia. In savage lands they used more curious things as money. Salt circulated in Abyssinia; cubes of beeswax were the medium in Sumatra; cubes of tea were used in Tartary; in some of the Portuguese possessions the coin consists of straw mats. In the islands of the Pacific they depend upon feathers, while in Madagascar the natives count their wealth in iron shovels. China has had varied forms of currency, but the least curious being the ch'ing made of clay, while Japan used the slightly more expensive substance rosin.

SHOT MAD DOG FENCE BOUNDARY

Canine Thought to Have Rabies, Killed by Officer Gilmore

Sen. Ashhurst Wants Barbed Wire Along Mexican Border

Special Officer Gilmore of the Humane society had quite an exciting chase after a dog supposed to have been suffering from the rabies late yesterday afternoon.

Word was sent to the Humane society headquarters that a mad dog was loose in Centralville and Officer Gilmore was detailed to the task of rounding it up. Patrolmen Cullen and Clark were also on the job and the three officers started after the dangerous animal determined to kill the public menace with as much dispatch as possible.

The canine was first seen in a field at the corner of Coburn and Hildreth streets. The reports that the animal was mad were substantiated by the peculiar manner in which it acted when aroused by the officer's approach. The dog was finally caged in a corner of the field and Officer Gilmore put an end to its sufferings with a single shot from his rifle. The head of the animal was turned over to Dr. Sherman, who will have it examined in Boston for traces of rabies.

DEFENDS SEAMEN'S BILL

SECRETARY OF MARINE FIREMEN'S UNION UPHOLDS LA FOLLETTE'S BILL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Thomas Conway of Buffalo, secretary of the marine firemen, oilers and water tenders' union of the Great Lakes, defended the La Follette seamen's bill today before the house merchant marine committee. He told of hardships of firemen compelled to come on deck from stifling boiler rooms to do deck hand work in cold weather. Such a system of double duty, he declared, was a menace to the health of firemen.

Patrick Flynn of San Francisco, vice-president of the International Seamen's union, and C. H. Brown of New York appearing for the Eastern and Gulf Seamen's union, also urged the passage of the bill.

SCHOOL BOARD SHOWS SAVING

A member of the school committee calls attention to the fact that the expenses for the evening schools for the months of October and November this year were \$364.75 less than last year. The amount expended last year for evening school teachers, including high school, elementary school, drawing school and industrial school, and all janitors, was \$1,677.50. The expenses for the corresponding months this year amounted to \$1,312.75, or \$364.75 less than last year. At this rate of going expenses of evening schools for the present year will be \$2000 less than last year. The attendance this year for the months of October and November was just as good as last year.

DUKE BROKE HIS ARM

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 17.—The Duke of Orleans, pretender to the throne of France, is suffering from a broken arm, the result of a collision while skating today while on an ice rink here. The duke, who was enjoying the sport with a party of friends, was circling the rink when another skater going at great speed came into violent contact with him. The duke lost his balance, fell heavily and was unable to rise.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A barbed wire fence along the American boundary to check Mexican incursions into American Territory was proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Ashhurst.

A total of \$250,000 would be appropriated.

SHOE MACHINERY CASE

DISSOLUTION SUIT ADJOURNED UNTIL JAN. 6 TO PERMIT CHRISTMAS RECESS

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The dissolution suit against the United Shoe Machinery Co. as an unlawful monopoly was adjourned today until Jan. 5 to permit the court its usual Christmas recess. Just before adjournment Albert Harrison, formerly a laborer in the employ of the Thomas G. Plant Co., denied the charge made by Frank Morrison, a witness for the government, that the United company tried to foment a strike at the Plant factory and offered to finance the expense of forming a union there. Harrison testified that there was no strike and that a union was not formed and that he never heard the United was supporting the latter, although he was a member of the latter's committee with Frank Morrison. The trouble was due, he stated, to a loss in wages which resulted from the introduction of the new Plant wondrous working machines. The machines were new and the operators could not get the work out of them as fast as on the old machines. A committee was formed by the latter to ask for an increase in pay. Mr. Plant, he said, granted the increase within a month.

CANNOT DICTATE PRICE

U. S. COURT OF APPEALS SAYS JEWELER CAN SELL WALTHAM WATCHES AT HIS OWN PRICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The Waltham Watch Co. cannot force Charles A. Keene, a local jeweler, to retail Waltham watches at the price they dictate, according to a decision of the United States court of appeals today. Keene bought the company's watches abroad at the price it sells them there, which is lower than that charged jobbers here, brought them back to this country and then sold them for less than the price set by the manufacturer of the domestic retail trade. The court affirmed the decision of the federal district court without opinion. The decision is in line with recent judgments of the United States supreme court that the manufacturer of a patented or copyrighted article could not fix the retail price.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 19.—An indictment for murder was returned today by the grand jury against Arthur Mack, who is alleged to have beaten his wife to death in this city in October. Mack later pleaded not guilty and was held for trial without bail.

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THE HETCH HETCHY BILL

PRES. WILSON TODAY SIGNED BILL GRANTING PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY TO SAN FRANCISCO

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—President Wilson today signed the Hetch-Hetchy bill, granting a public water supply to San Francisco. He accompanied his signature with a statement that he believed that the public needs of the region concerned were served by the bill without impairing the usefulness of the public domain.

CAPTURE OF AXEMAN

Continued

John Lynskey was shot in the groin at the apartment of the Elliotts. The police learned of the shooting through Dr. Livingston, whom Lynskey went to for medical treatment.

May Have Shot Boy

The physician sent the boy over to St. John's hospital and then notified Supt. Welch of the fact that the young man had been injured by a gunshot. Two officers were dispatched to the hospital at once in an endeavor to learn something of the affair but the injured, had refused to say more than that the shooting was purely accidental. He told them where he was shot, however, and the officers started to round up the couple in whose rooms the shooting occurred.

There was no couple in sight when the inspectors arrived at the Grand street house although the landlady did not see them take out any baggage. They occupied a room on the ground floor and had simply dropped their suit cases out of the window and then walked around and picked them up. That was the last seen of the pair by any of the police departments until last night.

Uses Axe to Break

Prindle is noted for the peculiar method that he has used in all of his breaks. He is sometimes called the "axeman" on account of the fact that an axe has figured in all of the breaks which he has committed in any city. He would first locate an entrance into the cellar in broad daylight, when the neighbors of the robbed family were never looking for anything of the sort, and then open the door into the house proper by hacking out a panel in the door so that he could reach the lock. In this the police say that he has followed the paths of all the most noted burglars who always commit their breaks in the same manner.

His narrowest escape was in Lowell shortly after his break in the Highlands. Officer Henley caught sight of Prindle, who was then running at top speed, and gave chase at once. Prindle was too active for him, however, and showed both ingenuity and agility in climbing over back fences at great rate of speed. When the officer finally thought he had him cornered between two houses the thief gave him the slip as completely as though the earth had opened and swallowed him. In his flight, however, Prindle lost his watch and a ring, and these two articles were of great value in identifying him.

Wanted in 14 Places

Prindle is wanted in at least 14 cities and towns and in the majority of these several counts are charged against him. In Somerville alone, 26 separate counts are booked against him and in Lawrence, Woburn, Malden, the Newtons, Chelsea, Boston, Cambridge, Melrose, Waltham and Norwell as well as Lowell all have warrants for his arrest. In all about 100 burglaries are charged against Prindle.

That he was a desperate character and ready to stand off arrest by the police was well known by the detectives in the Boston police department. Fourteen of the Hub inspectors have done nothing for the past month but simply frequent the haunts where they considered Prindle would most likely resort, but he was too foxy for them and was never seen until last night.

Lowell Police Aided in Arrest

The Lowell police were responsible in a large measure for his apprehension last night, for the description furnished by Supt. Welch was the first real trace that had been received of the mysterious burglar.

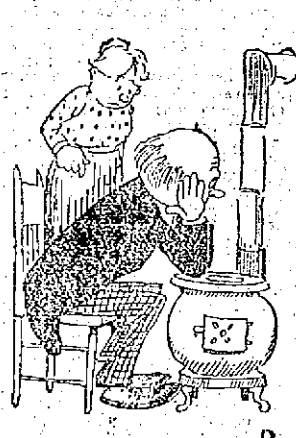
Prindle's home in Somerville was at



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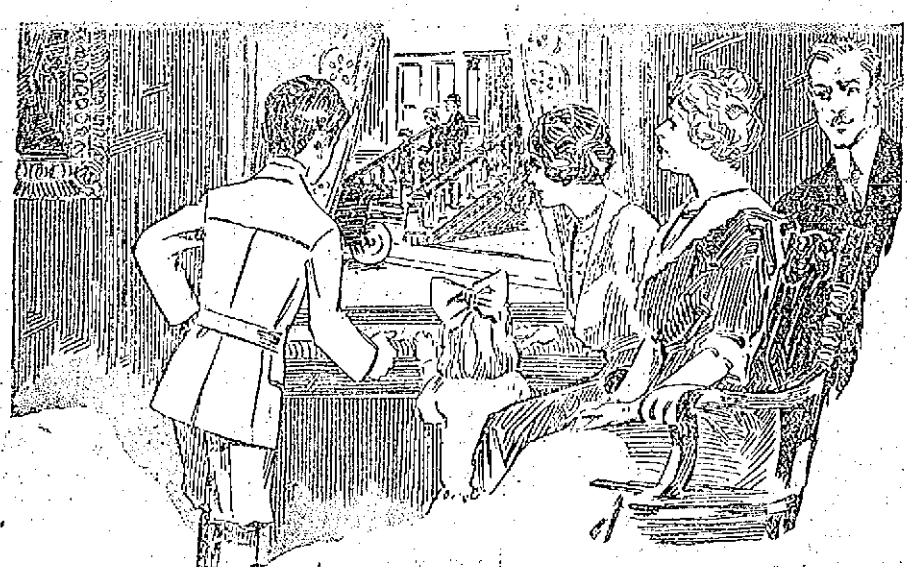
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283 KILLED IN 76 WRECKS

1880 Injured—Interstate Commerce Board Makes Vigorous Recommendations for Safety of Travelers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Emphasizing the necessity for further action by the federal government to provide greater safety for travelers and employees upon American railroads, the interstate commerce commission, in its annual report, submitted to congress today makes vigorous recommendations for additional powers over the physical construction and operation of the roads. The commission also recommends that it be given authority to supervise the issue of railroad securities and some measure of control over the capitalization.

Conditions disclosed by the commission's investigation of railroad accidents during the year present a situation which, the commission believes, ought to be the subject of immediate legislation. Seventy-six accidents investigated comprised 51 collisions and 25 derailments, and caused the death of 283 and the injury of 1,880 persons. Commenting upon these facts, the report says:

"The commission again is compelled to note the exceedingly large proportion of train accidents due to dereliction of duty on the part of employees. Fifty-six of the accidents investigated during the year, or nearly 74 per cent of the whole number, were directly caused by mistakes of employees. These mistakes were of the same nature as those noted by the commission in its last annual report, namely, disregard of fixed signals; improper flagging; failure to obey train orders; improper checking of train registers; misunderstanding of orders; occupying main track at time of superior train; block operator allowed train to enter occupied block; dispatcher gave lap order or used improper form of order; operator made mistake in copying order; switch left open in face of approaching train; excessive speed; failure to identify train that was met.

Causes of Train Accidents

"These errors are exactly the ones which figure in the causes of train accidents year after year. Their persistence, leading always to the same harrowing results, points alternatives. Either a great majority of these deplorable railroad disasters are unavoidable or there exists a widespread lack of intelligent and well-directed effort to minimize the mistakes of employees in the operation of trains. It is not believed that all these accidents which are caused by the mistakes of employees are 'unavoidable.' It is quite true that man is prone to error, and as long as absolute reliance is placed upon the human element in the operation of trains, accidents are bound to occur, but until it can be shown that all reasonable and proper measures have been taken for its prevention no accident can be classed as unavoidable.

"All of the mistakes noted above are violations of simple rules, which should have been easily understood by men of sufficient intelligence to be entrusted with the operation of trains. The evidence is that in the train the rules are understood, but they are habitually violated by employees who are charged with responsibility for the safe movement of trains. The evidence also is that in many cases operating officers are cognizant of this habitual disregard of rules and no proper steps are taken to correct the evil. Many operating officers seem to proceed upon the theory that their responsibility ends with the promulgation of rules, apparently overlooking the fact that no matter how inherent

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Accidents by High Speed

"High speed was an important contributing cause of several serious accidents during the past year. On many roads there is no limit to the speed at which passenger trains are allowed to run. Engineers are thus encouraged to run their trains at excessive speed in an effort to make up time lost on schedules that are in many cases already sufficiently fast for safety. Such high speed is especially dangerous in times of fog or storm, when signals can be seen but a comparatively short distance. The maximum allowable speed of trains on all roads should be established at a safe limit, and it should not be left entirely to the judgment of engineers to determine whether or not this limit is exceeded.

"Inasmuch as the only purpose of investigation," the report continues, "is to learn the true causes of accidents, so that such causes may be eliminated as fully as practicable, it is manifestly impossible for the commission fully to accomplish such purpose unless empowered by law to enforce its recommendations. Furthermore, the commission should be authorized to conduct independent investigations with respect to all matters affecting the safety of railway travel, the object being to prevent accidents as far as possible rather than, as at present, merely to point out the causes of accidents after their occurrence. There is particular need for an investigation of the conditions surrounding the use of steel rails and car wheels upon railroads."

Important Recommendations

Among the important recommendations for new legislation are the following:

"That one period be fixed for the beginning of all actions relating to transportation charges and that that period be within three years from the completion of the service as to which damages are claimed.

"That a carrier which fails to demand payment of charges for any transportation service within the period of 90 days shall be deemed guilty of giving a rebate to the shipper.

"That all suits brought to enforce or set aside orders of the commission be directly under the supervision of the commission. Instead of, as now, under the direction of the department of justice, and that the commission be charged primarily with the duty of presenting such cases in court subject to the right of the department of justice or private individuals to intervene to protect public or private interests.

"That the commission be authorized to make orders after investigation, respecting the construction and maintenance of the physical properties of railroads, subject to the approval of the commerce and regulations pertaining to the use and operation of such properties.

"That the commission be given control and supervision over railway capitalization.

Block Signal Lights

"That, in order to minimize the danger of accidents, the commission be empowered 'to acquire the use of block signal systems and to require the adoption and use of steel or steel underframe cars in passenger service.'

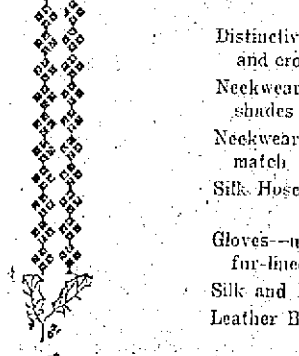
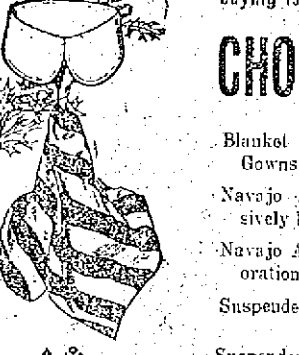
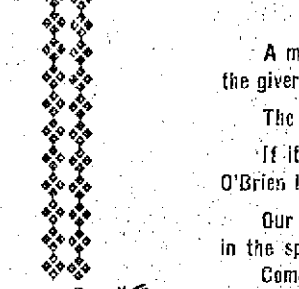
"That explicit authority be given the commission to examine all books and papers of common carriers subject to the law.

"That the commission be relieved of all duties under the parcel post law, 'or that such duties and the standards to be applied be more clearly stated.'

"The report gives some consideration to the law providing for physical valuation of railroads. Up to the present time it has not been possible to do more than prepare an outline of the plans for the great task of valuing American railroad property.

"The report shows that the work of the commission increased tremendously in volume. Scores of violations of the law by both carriers and shippers were investigated. In this connection the report says that 'the false billing of freight by shippers continues.' It is pointed out that serious abuses of transit privileges by both carriers and shippers constitute a continuing evil, remedy for which is being worked out by the commission. Failure on the part of carriers to collect from shippers certain demurrage charges was made the subject of many investigations, because this is regarded by the commission as one of the most insidious forms of rebating. Stress also is laid upon violations of the anti-pass law, but the report indicates that these are becoming less and less frequent.

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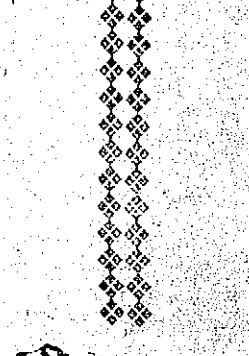
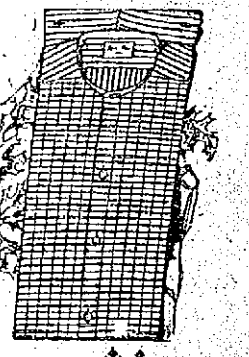
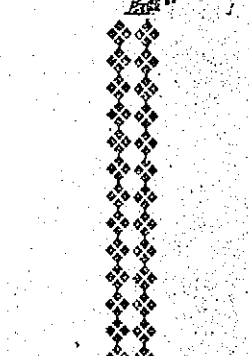
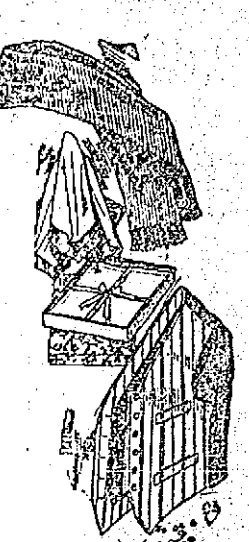
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THE GOLD STORAGE EGG

PEDIGREE TRACED BY EXPERT WHO SAYS THAT HEN'S NEST IS NOT A BONANZA

The various items entering into the cost of cold storage eggs from the time farmers in the Mississippi and Missouri valleys got 16 cents a dozen for them last spring until the eggs reached the consumer's kitchen this winter have been figured out for R. W. Droste, a cold storage investigator of the department of justice by Charles F. Droste of Droste & Snyder, New York, city as follows:

Hucksters or freight cost, 1 cent; cases and fillers, 1 cent; repacking, loss in breakage and overhead charges, 1 cent; freight and cartage, 2 cents; arriving charges, cold storage (including interest and insurance), 15 to 18 cents (eight months); 2 cents; labor, labor in repacking and overhead charges, 12 cents, making the eggs cost, without profit to the western packer and to the eastern receiver or jobber, 24 1/2 cents a dozen. To this amount Mr. Droste added 1 cent for profit to the packer, 1 cent for the receiver and 1 cent for the jobber. These figures make the price with normal profits to the wholesaler, 26 1/2 cents a dozen. After giving these figures Mr. Droste said:

"The retailer must average 15 per cent profit to exist. In the flush season of March, April, May and June he scarcely averages 5 per cent. In the winter months he must get from 25 to 30 per cent to strike his average. He makes that on his high priced sales. On the low priced, even in the winter he makes a very meagre profit. The well-to-do pay him well if they do pay. And the poor or the sensible buyers can get good values at moderate prices if they are not too proud to be satisfied with something that is not called the 'best.' Really new laid eggs are always short and bring high prices except when all eggs are new laid, as in the flush of April and May.

"Held Fresh" Not to Be Trusted

"The most unsatisfactory eggs are the 'country held,' held by the farmer, the storekeeper, the country packer. A large percentage is of this class, far in excess in the total aggregate of the much talked of 'cold storage eggs.' These 'held fresh' come to the receiver mixed with new eggs and are more difficult to divide into grades than cold storage eggs.

"The 'rots and spots' and weak eggs are bred mainly in the farmer's cellar or barn, in the country store, in the

SHIPPERS' LITTLE WAREHOUSE

When they are found in cold storage it is because they were in this condition before they were stored.

"The spring cost, 16 cents on the farm, has really nothing to do with the value in the winter. That value depends upon conditions then prevailing. If the fall production is large and consumption is small then values go to smash and the 21-22 cents cost stock is sold at a loss. A year ago the loss was 5 to 8 cents a dozen. If fall production is light and consumption is large then the 21-22 cents cost is large then the 21-22 cents cost is large and higher if the demand continues and if the high prices fall to draw increasing supplies from other centers or the production is nothing.

"We have now the country cost, 16 cents to the farmer, the city retail price, 33 cents, with normal profits to the handlers. If the retail price is less than the normal profits, have to be cut to that extent. If the demand and supply do not sustain these values prices go down and dealers' profits disappear or become losses and the consumer benefits. If the demand outruns the supply the dealers' profits increase and the consumer pays the increase. The farmer's profit result remains fixed from the start, as does the profit of the case manufacturer, the huckster, the railroads and all the labor engaged in the transaction."

SEES NO EGG COMBINATION

Mr. Droste says there is no business in which competition is keener, and there is not a vestige of combination anywhere. Every dealer tries to take the business of the other away and the retailer tries to drive his opponent out of business. He declares that the wholesale merchants can rarely show an average gross profit of 5 per cent on eggs, including even the year when fortune favors them in speculative ventures, and the small retail grocer who can pay his debts is the exception.

SOAKED NOTE IN COCAINE

Means of Getting Drug into "Dope Ward" of the County Jail at Denver

"The core of an apple, the peel of a banana and the stone of a peach have been used as means of smuggling cocaine into the county jail at Denver but attaches believe that an entirely new plan has been evolved.

"A letter was received recently, addressed to one of the inmates of the 'dope' ward. No signs of cocaine could be detected in the corners of the envelope, but the jail officials decided to examine the letter more closely.

"A minute scrutiny of the paper on which the letter was written revealed that it was saturated with the drug. There was enough in the sheet to supply one of the victims a week at least. The letter might have escaped detection if it had not been for the fact that the sender had overdone his work. A white powdery substance, which covered the entire letter first aroused suspicion.

"According to the jail attaches the paper had been bottled in water in which there was cocaine. After the water had boiled away the cocaine was absorbed by the paper, which was then rolled and dried. The sender of the letter has not been found. He signed himself with no name.

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TRANSPORTATION COMPANIES

Confronted with increasing financial demands that can only be met by the sternest economy, if at all, the transportation companies are being forced to take off electric cars and trains from the lines that do not pay and consolidate in every way possible. The man who stops to think will find much to excuse and explain the situation but unfortunately the majority of people who make up the near public of which we hear so much now-a-days do not think, and so the railroads are unreservedly condemned for a curtailment that has been for the most part forced upon them and forced upon them by the public that kicks so vigorously against the results of its own short sighted activity.

The public should be consistent and reasonable—but it isn't. All transportation companies are having hard times. Some of them are insolvent. Many of them are on the verge of insolvency. Few of them pay dividends. For this, public opinion is largely responsible. When increases in wages are demanded for engineers, motormen, firemen, conductors and all other classes of railroad employees the public is with those seeking a larger wage. Those who protest most loudly against anything savoring of curtailment of expenses on the part of the railroads are the people who cheer loudest when a wage dispute is settled in the interest of the employees.

Now it cannot be gainsaid that the need for wage increases in most cases is as pressing as represented by railroad unions. The scale of wages is often out of proportion with the increasing cost of living. The cost of food has increased; housing problems have become more acute; all modern conditions impose additional burdens on the employee. But the other side of the question must not be forgotten. If the financial burdens of the railroad employee have increased, what of the expenses of the railroad? For them the cost of living has increased also. When they are forced to consent to the raise demanded by the employees and sanctioned by the public, they are forced to curtail somewhere in order to meet the demands made on them. They must be given an opportunity to readjust matters. Here's where the public must exercise reason and common sense. For every increase made by the railroads in wages, there must be increased efficiency, consolidation, possibly curtailment of public service, and if the public is to be consistent it must bow to it graciously. It is absolutely folly to cry for raise after raise in wages and expect modern equipment, steel cars, and railroad expansion.

Let this not be forgotten: For every increase in wages the public must pay. It must pay eventually in increased freight rates and transportation rates and it must pay presently in lack of conveniences. If the roads are burdened with an annual expenditure of additional thousands for wage increases, they must be allowed to increase their efficiency and they cannot be efficient in management if they continue to run cars and trains over lines where the patronage does not pay the cost of maintenance. After the public has forced large financial burdens on the public service corporations they must be patient while these companies strive to meet the increased demands, even though this should entail fewer cars and the abandonment of schemes for equipment reform.

The time for people to do their thinking in connection with these important matters is before the increased burdens of whatever sort are imposed and not afterwards. Railroads are conducted on money supplied by the people and they are forced to do the people's bidding. If the public decides that the railroads must face a financial burden, the public must get ready to pay the bill. It is absolutely foolish and inconsistent for people to grumble at conditions which they themselves have sanctioned and originated.

THE LOBBY REPORT

The report to congress of the lobby investigating committee does little that has not already been done by publication of the disgusting facts of political corruption brought out during the congressional investigation; the remedy for pernicious lobbying is in an aroused public opinion, and public opinion has long ere now repudiated the methods of the slimy tricksters whose trails have led through the mazes of national legislation for many years. A ray of light into dark alleys scatters the spiders and other unlovely creatures who nest there, and the lobby by investigation brought much into the open that had long been suspected but had not been known in all its repulsiveness. There will always be lobbying of a more or less suspicious character, but it is safe to say that it will not be done so openly in its less legal aspect in Washington while the echoes of the lobby investigation are in the air.

In years past all congressional action at Washington was watched and to a certain extent influenced by what a contemporary calls "a crew of camp followers who hang around congress."

sonal and legislative halls." Agents of large and powerful interests openly held headquarters in committee rooms where they were thrown in contact with legislators. Sometimes the trail of corruption followed by these led up to the highest authorities in the business and financial life of the country. Not all lobbyists were pernicious in their influence or dishonest in their motives for the sincere members of Christian societies who work for better liquor laws or the members of a social service society which looks after the interests of minors are all lobbyists in their way. It is the privilege of all citizens to present their views to their congressmen and senators, but a discriminating sense of what is proper will easily distinguish between the lobbying that is permissible and the lobbying that is absolutely corrupt and deplorable.

The way to do away with the corrupt lobbyist is to banish the corrupt legislator from public life and make all who would influence legislation come out in the open. There is a necessity for the sincere and law-respecting lobbyist but there should be no room in legislative circles for those who would influence legislation by any of the means known so well by

TWO SAVINGS CLUBS

The New Bedford Standard editorially contrasts the widely differing results of two Christmas savings clubs in this state, and as one of them happens to be that of the Traders bank of this city, their comment is of special interest to our people. It is unfortunate that the Lowell club has the shadows of the picture while that of Springfield, Mass., shines out. In the brightness anticipated here by the thousands that selected the Traders bank as the depository of their savings for Christmas. In Springfield, a national bank has just distributed \$250,000 to the members of a Christmas savings club and the success of the affair is so well assured that the bank there hopes to repeat the experiment next season with a membership of ten thousand. After dwelling on this inspiring story of thrift and enterprise, the New Bedford paper says:

"For contrast, in Lowell eight thousand members of a similar organization find themselves denied their money, with a very uncertain prospect as to when they will get it, or whether they will ever get it at all. With the bank in a receiver's hands, the prospect is not assuring."

We hope time will demonstrate that in the latter part of the above quotation our contemporary is over gloomy, but however things will turn out eventually, the situation has been analyzed wisely in the following paragraph:

"The difference is back of the contrasting circumstances of the hour. It is in the divergence between careful banking and careless banking. In the one case a good idea, well handled, has been so much a benefit to the community that there is every encouragement for a repetition. In the other case the same good idea, badly handled, has been so much a detriment to the community that it has been discarded. The people who operated it did business badly. It was not the Christmas savings club, which indeed was only a modest section of the bank's activities, that caused the trouble; but it was the lack of thorough-going prudence in all the management of the bank's affairs."

Some people will say that in ascribing the embarrassment of the local bank to "a lack of thorough-going prudence" the outside commentary is too mild, and others will consider it too severe, but for the present each is entitled to his own opinion. Time will place the responsibility where it properly belongs. The local misfortune has its lessons for banks and bankers as well as for the public, and it is well that those who deplore it most can look to Springfield for a satisfactory ending of a praiseworthy corruption.

BRAVO, MR. GARDNER.

Mr. Augustus P. Gardner has at last rid himself of the unwise and unwarranted egotism which made things look so rosy to him during the last state campaign when almost everybody but himself could get the result of his foolish championing of pet theories, and he now admits a little reluctantly that it is better for his party that he should not be its candidate in 1914. He is to be congratulated on seeing the light, even at this late date, and those made happiest by the announcement of his withdrawal should be the supporters who saw in him previous to the last campaign the leader destined to guide them out of the desert into the land of golden promise. One of his very apparent qualities is staidness and though he held on to a few unpopular doctrines rather tenaciously it is well for his party that he has decided to refrain from splitting it up still further for his candidacy for governor in 1914 would have that effect.

Nursing Mothers
Scott's Emulsion

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Seen and Heard

The brotherliness of Ossining's drugstore was revealed to a New Yorker journeying there last Sunday. When he got up Sunday noon he felt that a glass of bromo-seltzer was the thing needed to put the world right, and set out to find a drug store. The first one he came to bore the sign on door. "No open today." Not getting the idea, he passed on, found another shop and discovered the same sign on its door. Assuming himself he was not seeing double, he asked to be directed to the open shop. There he got the needed portion and the explanation on together. "We have a club," said the druggist, "to which all seven druggists in town belong. We agreed to take turns keeping open on Sunday. This gives six of us a day off, and each has to work only seven Sunday. The same plan applies to holidays."—New York Tribune.

Herr August Debel, the late German socialist leader, whose funeral at Zurich was attended by 15,000 people, was not a pessimist.

"Herr Debel," said a Chicago socialist, "was a pessimist in my presence. He said that many of us became pessimists through reading in newspapers stories about corruption in the entire world. Then, like little Karl's father, we adopt the skeptical view of modern life."

"Little Karl," he said, "one day asked: 'Father, is there really honor among thieves?'"

"No," the father replied. "No, my son; thieves are just as bad as other people."

OUR PARENTS

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infancy of the state and their sayings, the following is stated: It appears that the old judges from 1782 to 1786 were mostly not lawyers. One John Dudley was a trader. "And of John Dudley, Theophilus Parsons said: 'He is the best judge I ever knew in the Commonwealth.' Dudley's idea of his charges to a jury, which we copy from the life of William Flumer, to which work, by the way, we are indebted for many of the foregoing facts. In concluding his charge, Judge Dudley said: 'You gentlemen, gentlemen of the jury, I have been told in this case by the lawyers—the rascals! But, no, I will not abuse them. It is their business to make a good case for their clients. They are paid for it, and they have done in this well enough. But you and I, gentlemen, have something else to consider. They talk of law. Why, gentlemen, it is not law that we want, but justice. Trust me, gentlemen, common-sense is a much safer guide for the common sense of Bayard Rust, Epitaph, Baxter, and the other towns which have sent us here to try this case between two of our neighbors. A clear head and an honest heart are worth more than all the law of the lawyers. There was one good thing said at the bar. It was from Shakespeare, an English play, I believe. No matter. It is good enough almost to be in the Bible. It is this: 'Do just, and fear not.' That, gentlemen, is law. In this case, and law enough in any case. Be just, and fear not. It is our business to do justice between the parties. Not by any quirk of law out of the Coke or Blackstone books that I never read, and never will read, but by common sense and common honesty, as between man and man. That is our business, and the curse of God is upon us if we neglect, or evade, or turn from it. And now, Mr. Sheriff, give out the jury and let Mr. Foreman do not keep us waiting with idle talk, of which there has been too much already, about matters which we nothing to do with the case. Give an honest verdict of which, as plain common-sense men, you need not be ashamed."

EDITORIAL COMMENT

IN NEW BEDFORD
Fall River Herald: Judge Milliken of the New Bedford police court has expressed from the bench his contempt for the "horror room luxuries" of the apartment houses. He applied the law to the soldiers of fortune who hang around saloons on the lookout for men with money and protracted thirst, who may be expected shortly to receive the weight of their punishments. The victims of over-indulgence are inveigled into remote corners and left temporarily helpless or if they are not so, they are left against a wall and in either case are relieved of all the money they have brought with them. Then they are left to their shambles.

GETTING TOGETHER
Haverhill Record: "Haverhill business men are much like those living elsewhere. They like company and they need some arrangement which will bring them together for acquaintance and conference. We believe that it is possible to devise some plan of this kind for the city and that the result would be highly beneficial to the board of trade as an organization, to its members as individuals and the interests of the city as a whole."

AND RIGHTLY SO
Burlington Free Press: Military and naval officers, having been called upon for an explanation of their Chicago joke on the Philippine situation, will be cured in the future, they smile whenever they are in the presence of the White House hall.

WALSH'S SALARY
Boston Traveler: A statistical friend of the new governor has figured it up that the \$3000 salary will be about equal on up by the items of house rent and maintenance, charity subscriptions, dinners and luncheons, automobiles, etc., and "other" expenses. Following a group of wealthy men like Crane, Douglas, Draper and Foss does not make the going any easier for a man without large private means.

AMERICAN GENEROSITY
Lynn Item: Governor Halston of Indiana has a balance of \$39,000 on his hands which he does not know how to dispose of. The amount represents the unexpended portion of the relief fund which was contributed from all parts of the country in aid of the sufferers of the Peoria flood disaster. He cannot spend it for the purpose for which it was contributed, for the necessity of it no longer exists. The generosity of the American people is well illustrated by the fact that after all possible claims have been adjusted there still remains a large sum in the hands of the governor.

MEAT PRICES
Salem News: Notwithstanding the fact that large quantities of Argentine beef are being received in this country, emphasis is laid by sundry contemporaries upon the fact that meat continues at high prices. That is another phase of the matter to take into account. If the foreign supply had not come in, meat prices would have gone even higher.

DOES YOUR BABY CHAFE?

Mrs. Grace D. Andrews, nurse of Lynn, Mass., says: "For twelve years I have used Comfort Powder for babies chafing, rashes and all skin soreness with great success and find it better than any other powder." The genuine has the signature of E. S. Sykes on the box.

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EDUCATION NOTES

Teach the facts about your home city in the public schools," urges the bureau of municipal research, New York City.

Having introduced medical inspection in 1912, Elmira, N. Y., claims to have been the first American city to adopt health supervision of school children.

The equivalent of one school year for more than 400 children in that because of contact with minor contagious diseases, according to figures recently compiled for Pittsburg.

In order to furnish high-class entertainment to communities in their states, the universities of Wisconsin, Minnesota, and North Dakota have banded together for lyceum service.

On the theory that healthy children should have the fresh air benefits usually reserved for the sickly, Supt. W. H. Mudgett, Middletown, Conn., has introduced a modified open-window plan throughout his entire school system.

The junior high school at Grand Rapids, Mich., consisting of pupils of the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades, has grown in two years from a school of 125 pupils and 15 teachers to one of 351 pupils and 36 teachers. More boys and girls have stayed in school under the new plan.

The model school at Bryn Mawr, Pa., at the entrance to the college, has been made an open-air school. Only the dressing-room and laboratory will be indoors. There will be 7 separate, one-story, out-of-door classrooms facing full south. Each classroom opens on a large uncovered platform 8x32 feet, which will be used for the gymnastics and aerobics that are part of open-air school work.

A ship-building ship is maintained in connection with the high school at San Pedro, Cal., where, under the practical instruction of a nautical architect, the students learn how to launch a boat, make and place the engine, and launch and run the craft. Classes in boat building and marine commerce make trips to the wharves and aboard ship to study ship-construction, engine action, and the character of the current. Shipping law is also part of the course.

Night schools of cosmopolitan character are by no means confined to congested centers in the east. At Gallup, McKinley County, New Mexico, the following nationalities were represented in a recently established evening school: American, Spanish, Slavonian, Italian, Serbian, Austrian, German, French, Danish, Swedish, Irish, Scotch, English and Cherokee Indian. Twenty-four different occupations were represented. In ages the pupils ranged from 15 to 62. Many of them desired the ordinary elementary branches, but there was also a strong demand for such subjects as bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, Spanish, mechanical and architectural drawing.

Foreign universities are now receiving some of the large private benefactions for which they have long envied American institutions. Cambridge university has recently received \$150,000 for general purposes, and \$50,000 for a chair of astronomy. Bristol university has had a gift of \$100,000 from one donor, \$50,000 from another, and \$50,000 from two others; Glasgow has been willed \$50,000 for a research lectureship in medicine and \$175,000 from three other benefactors; and Leeds has an anonymous gift of \$50,000 for the erection of a school of agriculture. In Germany, \$2,000,000 has been subscribed for transforming the scientific institute at Frankfurt-am-Main into a university, and the University of Hamburg is to start with an endowment of \$250,000. In the case of Hamburg, however, the money has been entirely appropriated by the city.

THE GREAT MILK SHOW

Features of Recent Contest at Springfield—Field—Labor Saving Devices in the Home

The promotion of agriculture is largely dependent upon so improving conditions in the farm home that the work of the farm woman may be made easier, allowing more variation of the regular routine duties, and, opportunity for the enjoyment of the good things of life. Miss Laura Comstock, professor of home economics in the extension service of the agricultural college at Amherst, gives the following brief injunctions to farmers and farmers' wives in this regard: "Housekeeping is a business, and should be regulated and conducted as such. Running water in the house is the greatest labor-saving device in the world; you cannot afford to longer do without it. In buying any appliance consider whether it will actually save time and labor; buy as an investment, not simply from standpoint of present cost in dollars. It is one of the greatest labor savers in the home. It saves time and attention, yields better results and food is always hot when wanted; if gas is not available use the blue flame stove in hot weather; the three-compartment kettle is a very desirable utensil; if possible buy aluminum utensils; they are light, trouble-free and produce no poisonous salts." Miss Comstock gives the following list of exhibits in any possible way and welcomes correspondence in regard to domestic problems.

America's Largest Milk Show

The fact that the milk, cream and butter held in Springfield, Mass., the first week in December, by Massachusetts Dairymen's association working in co-operation with the state board of agriculture, the Hampden County improvement league and the Massachusetts milk producers' association was the largest yet held in this country has been pretty well advertised. There were 204 entries in this show. The next largest was the International Dairy show at Milwaukee with 144 entries. Prof. W. P. B. Lockwood, who has recently taken on the dairy work in connection with the extension service at the agricultural college, has just issued a report of the show which gives some very interesting facts and figures. The following are taken from the report: Class 1, market milk, one or more cows; class 2, market milk, mixed sample from two or more cows; class 3, market milk out of state dairies only; class 4, market cream; class 5, dairy butter made on the farm; class 6, butter made in the factory.

"The following was the Massachusetts entries and towns' inspection representation by exhibits in the show in the regular milk classes: Springfield, 15; Ware, 12; Boston, 3; Brockton, 6; Haverhill, 5. The following had four entries: Danvers, Gardner, Greenfield, New Bedford, Northampton, three entries; Lowell and Worcester, two entries; Amherst, Brimfield, Haverhill, Cohasset, Concord, Dalton, Fairhaven, Ware, North Adams, Wallingford, Williston, one entry; Attleboro, Clinton, Conway, Egypt, Holliston, Holyoke, Lynn, Natick, Salem, Turners Falls, Woburn, Westley, Westchester and Peabody. The above shows that exhibits were sent from all sections of the state.

"There were 151 exhibits of milk, 24 exhibits of cream and 18 exhibits of dairy butter. Class 1 contained 69 exhibits, of which 31 scored 90 or over. Class 2 contained 39 exhibits, of which 10 scored 100 or over. There were 10 entries in the special Springfield class, of which seven scored 90 or over. Of the 50 entries scoring 90 or above, 71 used narrow topped pails.

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Qualities of Shaker and cable stitch sweaters—Made with shawl or Byron collars or V necks—Sweaters, usual price \$5.00, for Christmas, \$3.50
Sweaters, usual prices \$7.00 and \$8.00, for Christmas..... \$5.00

she married him in Portland, Ore. This is one of the reasons given by the young woman for readily consenting to appear as a witness against the man who is charged with bigamy. In addition to the Portland wife, he admits he has a wife and child in Portland, Me.

It appears Chamberlain told Miss Zeimer he had one cork leg, but did not say anything about the other. When she learned that both legs were artificial the first quarrel occurred.

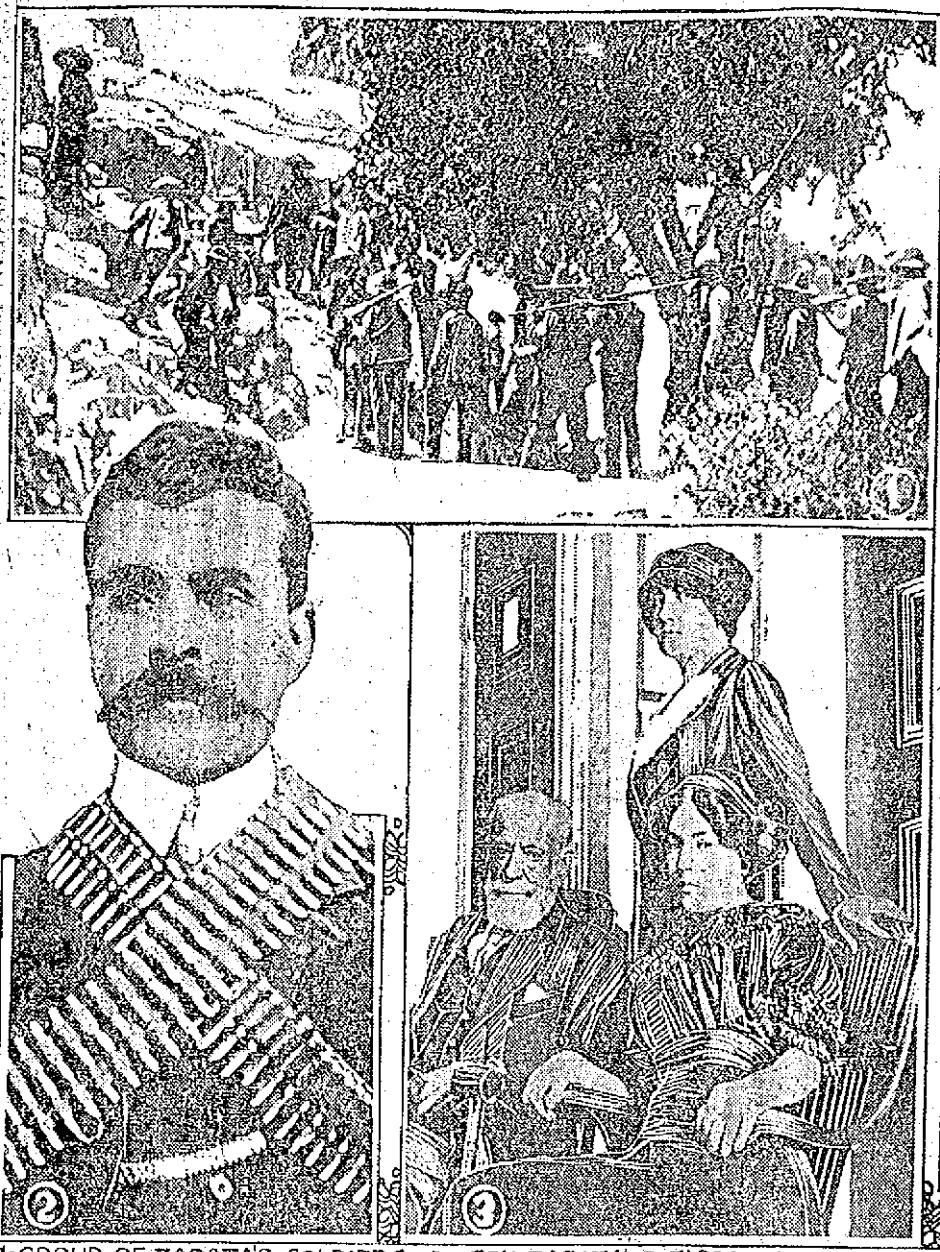
Chamberlain was released on \$250 cash bail. The money was the same which Chamberlain had raised a few days before to get the release of Miss Zeimer, who had been held in that amount as a material witness.—Washington Herald.

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WEALTHIEST MEXICAN A FUGITIVE; GENERAL THREATENING CAPITAL AND SOME OF HIS SOLDIERS



1-GROUP OF ZAPATA SOLDIERS 2-GEN. ZAPATA 3-TARRAZAS and DAUGHTERS

EL PASO, Dec. 19.—General Luis Terrazas is one of the wealthiest men in the world, but whether he can regain much of his property since his flight from Chihuahua is problematical. His fortune has been estimated at \$500,000,000. "I am too old to continue the fight," said Terrazas—he is eighty-one—and as soon as I can bring my family from Chihuahua, where they are now prisoners, to the American border I will go with them to Los Angeles. I have a home there and will spend the remainder of my life under the stars and stripes. I want peace." The aged Mexican multimillionaire wept bitterly when shown General Villa's order of confiscation. The property—land, flocks, mines and personal effects—seized by the rebel chieftain is variously estimated. Though Terrazas has been stripped of most of his possessions, he is not penniless. He has more than \$5,000,000 deposited in American banks and invested in American property, which is safe from Villa. Luis Terrazas, Jr., is still held a prisoner in Chihuahua by Villa.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 19.—The Zapatista rebels are steadily closing in on the capital. The lack of artillery alone prevents them from attacking the city. The Zapatista forces made simultaneous attacks on several

federal forces, inflicting heavy losses. The sharpest fighting was at Milpa Alta, seventeen miles from here. Led by Felipe Tijera, formerly a federal officer, they captured the town in a three hour attack, killing 100 troopers of the Twenty-first cavalry.

AN EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORY

The "Educational Directory" for the year 1913-14, containing lists of state school officers, city school superintendents in all cities and towns in the United States over 4000 population, county, township and district superintendents, presidents of colleges and universities, principals of normal schools, summer school directors, educational associations, etc., has just been issued for free distribution by the United States bureau of education. The directory, a book of 160 pages, contains all changes reported to the bureau to Nov. 8, 1913, and represents the very latest available information with regard to school officers and school agencies.

The list of city school superintendents gives the name of the officer, his term of office, date of original appointment, date when his present term expires, and the salary he receives. In the case of the county, township and district superintendents, only the name of the official and his county headquarters are given.

Many new features appear in this year's directory. With the various state superintendents are given the state supervisors of rural schools, inspectors of high schools, and other state school officers. There is a list of officers of state boards of education, officers of state library commissions, boards of trustees of universities and colleges; presidents and deans of schools of theology, law, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and veterinary medicine. Whether a college is a "co-ed" or not is carefully indicated.

Schools for the blind and schools for the deaf are represented by the names of the superintendents. There is a list of schools for the feeble-minded; directors of schools of art; and directors of museums. The list of summer school directors contains the probable date of the 1914 session.

To the list of educational associations is added that of boards and foundations and church educational boards and societies. Superintendents of Catholic parochial schools are listed, as are also Jewish educational organizations, international associations of educators, meetings of state teachers' associations, mothers' congresses and state federations of women's clubs. A list of educational periodicals is appended.

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QUININE A CURE

For the Rabies—Other Details Concerning Disease are Described

"Rabies in dogs may be found to be generally curable by the use of quinine," declared Dr. Langdon Frothingham of the Harvard medical school in his lecture on "Rabies and Glanders" before the medical school. His assertion was based on the use of quinine in curing a St. Louis man who had been inoculated, and it was prefaced by the statement that heretofore "there has never been a cure for rabies. The disease treatment is merely preventive."

Dr. Frothingham advocated the muzzling of all dogs in the United States as the surest present means of combating the disease.

"Rabies is one of the strangest diseases known," said Dr. Frothingham, "and it is probably surrounded by the most superstition. There was a time when it was thought that rabies was produced in dogs as the result of hot food, hot weather, dog days or muzzling. It was thought that if a dog suspected of having rabies bit a person the dog should be killed at once. Now it is known that such a dog should not be killed, but should be sent up and observed."

"A dog suffering with rabies will attack all animals and man. Infection lies in saliva always transmitted by the bite of a dog. The incubation period may be as short as a week or as long as a year. The bite of the dog in man, without treatment, is fatal in about 30 per cent. of all cases."

The things to do when bitten by a dog are:

First—Get the dog. Shut it up so that it can be watched.

Secondly—Wash the bite bleed by squeezing; then wash thoroughly and cauterize with strong nitric acid.

There are two kinds of rabies—furious rabies and dull rabies. Dogs suffering from the first show a tendency to run and to bite something. They are crazy. They eat coal, sticks, hay and anything that they happen to find, but they cannot swallow water, though they try. Persons afflicted with rabies cannot swallow water, but their inability is occasioned by fear resultant from paroxysms.

Dogs that have dull rabies are noticeable for being dejected and slobbering saliva.

Now, in autopsies on dogs there has been nothing to show that they have died of rabies, except the contents of their stomachs. When coal, wood and other foreign substances are found in their stomachs, it is proof that they have died of rabies. Another means of diagnosing rabies is the cause of death in dogs is now being used, however. Rabbits, guinea pigs and other animals inoculated with bacilli taken from the head of a dog, will show symptoms of rabies within a few weeks, provided that that disease was responsible for the dog's death.

"There never has been a treatment for rabies in a person after the symptoms began. The Pasteur treatment is preventive instead of curative. In past times faith has been placed in certain absurd remedies, one of which included the crushed June bugs, but it has contained for quinine, the cure for malaria, to effect the first cure of a case of rabies in man after the symptoms had developed."

There is a tendency on the part of people to feed their dogs at the table, to put scraps on their feet and otherwise pamper them. This is to be regretted. I am not a hater of dogs, for I have one myself, but I believe that dogs should be muzzled, as they have been in England and European countries, to decrease the mortality from rabies. Muzzles that can prevent the dogs from biting without hindering their breathing can be used.

"In speaking about glanders, I would say that there is no cure for glanders. It affects man and animals. In man it is very deadly, death usually resulting within three weeks."

"As already said, there is no cure for glanders. What is more important, is its prevention. The full subject should be under the entire control of the state."

"It would be wise not to have drinking troughs throughout the city, but to have drinking fountains instead, where the drivers of horses could get water in pails."

TO SHORTEN SEA ROUTE

Steamers Will Run Weekly From the West of Ireland to Halifax and Boston

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The project for shortening the Atlantic sea passage by the inauguration of a steamship service between the west of Ireland and Halifax, Nova Scotia and Boston, is at last approaching the region of realization, as reported in cable despatches. A contract was signed in London on November 26 giving power for the drawing of plans for the construction of a harbor at Blackhead Bay and the building of a railway connecting that point with the three principal railways of Ireland.

This is the scheme, known as the All Red Route which was advocated in parliament and out of it by Dr. Robert Ambrose, formerly member for West Mayo, and the necessary capital has now been provided in England and in Massachusetts.

The designs will be carried out by Henry C. Long of Boston, a well known architect in harbor construction, and the necessary steamships, sailing stock and permanent way material have already been bespoken from English firms.

The railway communication with Blackhead will be made from Coltooney, in Sligo where the Midland Great Western of Ireland, the Great Northern and Great Southern and Western systems converge.

The traffic gathered over a new line 50 miles in length between Blackhead and Coltooney will thus be distributed over the three trunk lines and sent to England and Scotland through terminals at the North Wall, Dublin, Belfast and Stranraer.

A weekly service of fast steamers is contemplated, which will carry mails and passengers to Halifax in three days and a half, and the voyage will be carried on to Boston as the port of debarkation on outward cargo.

It is expected that the new route will divert to England much traffic that now goes from America to the continent by reason of superior speed and shortness.

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MAN WHO IS CHOSEN MANAGER OF A BIG AMERICAN CITY



DAYTON, O. Dec. 19.—The recently elected "business manager" of this city, Henry M. Waite, has completed his plans for putting the new system of municipal government into effect.

Waite has been engaged at a salary of \$12,000 by the municipal governing commission to run the business of the city. This is distinctly a new political idea.

ters have followed her example ever since.

"When men have fought duels for her she has placed flowers on the grave of the dead one and kisses on the lips of the victor. From the time Eve compelled Adam to eat the apple until Emmeline Pankhurst compelled Woodrow Wilson to let her come in woman has been a rabid Bryan democrat."

"She believes in the income tax; the higher the income the higher the tax, and she believes in collecting it at the source, even if that source is the trousers' pocket."—Mrs. Elizabeth D. Christian at meeting of Women's Democratic Club, Spokane, Wash.

FOREST NOTES

The forest products laboratory at Madison, Wisconsin, has made 1000 tests on the strength of American woods.

The gathering and selling of acorns

is a new industry, in Arkansas, to supply eastern nursery firms with material for forest planting.

Thirty different wood preservatives are in commercial use in the United States; many of them utilize cresote of one sort or another; others require chemical salts.

Last year the forest service distributed 116,000 basket willow cuttings; 15,000 to forest schools, 20,000 to agricultural experiment stations, and 81,000 to individuals.

More than \$20,000 horsepower has been developed from streams on national forests under government regulation.

This represents the output under conditions of lowest streamflow. Florida bottomwood, a tree confined largely to the keys along the south coast, is very highly prized for use in cooking on ship's galleys. It burns slowly with an even heat and makes but little smoke or ash.

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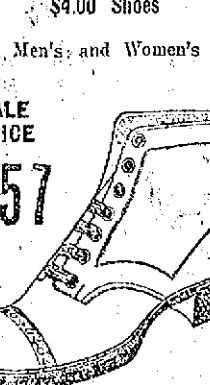
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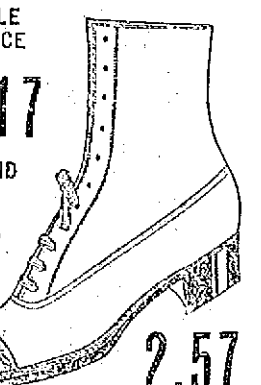
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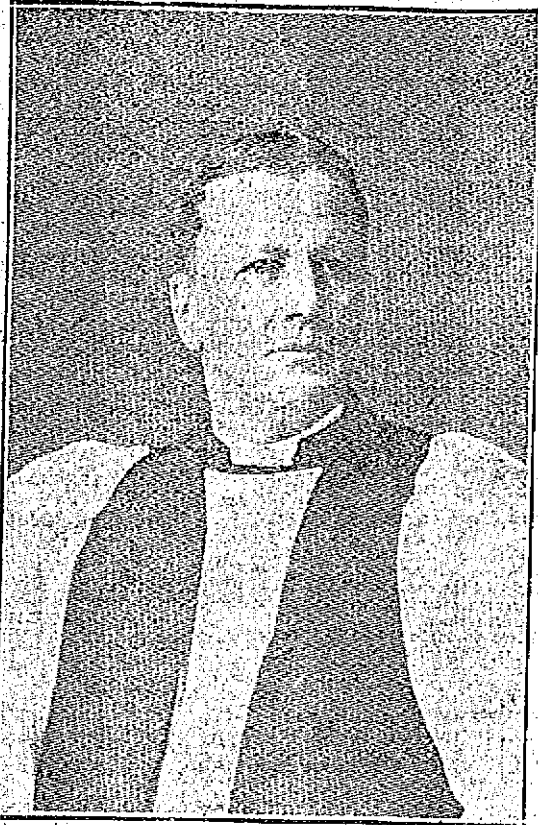
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Given Reception at Colonial Hall —Rev. Mr. Grannis Speaks of the Bishop's Policies

The united parishes of St. Anne's and St. John's, Lowell, and the suburban parishes of the Episcopal church tendered a reception at Colonial Hall last evening to Rt. Rev. Bishop Lawrence, of the diocese of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Lawrence.

It was one of a series of similar receptions held in different parts of the diocese in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of his consecration as bishop. The other cities in which these receptions have been or will be held are Boston, Lynn, Lawrence, Fall River and New Bedford. The reception last night was delightfully informal and was not confined to denominational lines. The ushers were the wardens and vestrymen of the various parishes. There was music by a ladies orchestra, and coffee and cake were served in the Middlesex hall. The ladies who appeared and served representing all the churches united in the reception. Clergymen of several of the local churches of other denominations were present. There were a number of representative guests including Mayor James O'Donnell and Alderman Cummings.

In the receiving line with Bishop and Mrs. Lawrence were: Rev. Appleton Grannis, Rev. E. H. Jobe and Mrs. Franklin Souers, of St. Anne's; Rev. James Baneroff and Mrs. Baneroff, of St. John's; Rev. Wilson Waters and Mrs. Franklin Hinde, All Saints, Chelmsford.

Bishop Lawrence spoke informally. He expressed his and Mrs. Lawrence's appreciation of the splendid manner in which they had been received. He said that when it was first decided to ob-

serve his 20th anniversary there had been talk of a big meeting in Symphony hall, Boston, with speeches by prominent clergymen and laymen of the diocese, but that he had requested that in its place a series of receptions be held in different places so that he and Mrs. Lawrence might shake hands with the people and chat with them personally. Bishop Lawrence referred to the close bond between Mrs. Lawrence and the Lowell people, her mother having been a sister of Mrs. Eaton. Then she spoke of the closer relationship of the church with the community. In contrast with the conditions 20 years ago. At that time, he said, there was not a single parish house in the diocese of Massachusetts. Now every parish has, in some form, a parish house. He spoke of the value of the parish house as a connecting link between the church and the community. He said it is necessary for the church to minister to the social needs of the young people. The church stands for righteousness and purity, and it cannot be held within four walls. Age the church will die and the whole community will suffer. As a part of itself interest then, he said, it is essential that those who represent the best things in the life of a community, should reach out and lift up those who are in need of being lifted up. It is a responsibility, on the part of laymen and women, toward the community. Also, it is a Christian and a church duty, to take up the work that is nearest at hand. The outlook, which used to be "the western frontier," is now along the shore of the Atlantic, where foreigners are coming in. It is work of this kind

that will finally bring in a common democracy. The official celebration of the 20th anniversary of Bishop Lawrence's consecration took place on October 6 in the cathedral church of St. Paul, Boston. It was attended by the clergy of the diocese, visiting bishops and clergy, the delegates to the diocesan convention, the wardens of parishes, the officers of diocesan organizations and distinguished guests from the city of Boston and the state. The sermon preached by the distinguished bishop on the occasion was of the same informal character as the little talk given here last evening. At that time personal tributes were paid him by Gov. Foss, Mayor Fitzgerald, Senator Lodge and scores of other distinguished laymen and churchmen. There is no more ardent admirer of

Bishop Lawrence both as a man and a church dignitary than the Rev. Appleton Grannis of St. Anne's church, this city. In this Mr. Grannis follows the example of his beloved predecessor, Dr. Chamber, who held a long personal friendship with Bishop Lawrence and always spoke of him in terms of the highest praise. Speaking of Bishop Lawrence this morning and of the local reception given him last evening, Mr. Grannis said, "Bishop Lawrence is a great leader of men and I think he is acknowledged by the people of Massachusetts to be the most distinguished Protestant churchman in this section of the country. His popularity is due largely to his splendid tact and religious tolerance for he never consciously offends the religious feelings of others and he devotes his time and great talents

to the upbuilding of the church which he ornaments so conspicuously. He also possesses the indefinable charm of a magnetic personality and the church leaders who strive to carry out his wishes are drawn to him by a bond of personal admiration and respect." "He is also a business man and thoroughly in touch with modern requirements, religious and economic. Under his jurisdiction the Episcopal property of Massachusetts has trebled in value, being larger now than before the division of the diocese, nine years ago. At that time the valuation of the Episcopal church property was five millions and at present it is 15 millions."

Rev. Mr. Grannis called special attention this morning to an extract from Bishop Lawrence's sermon at the general Episcopal convention held in New York recently, in which he spoke of the need for religious instruction of the young, and the difficulties to be encountered in considering the possibility of teaching religion in the public schools. Following is a brief extract:

"My purpose this morning is to consider one large and vital subject, and then suggest three visions that are floating before us all and beckoning us onward."

The large and vital subject is one that meets quick response from the people of this country—education.

Under the conditions of this nation state where does this church stand in the subject of education? We believe that education included the whole child, youth and man; that it involves his physical, intellectual, moral and spiritual nature. We believe in education in its largest, richest significance. What the boy learns in school is of great importance, but it is only a part of his education; lessons, influences, forces pour into him from every quarter. We believe that the source and spring of character, which is the highest result of education, is faith in God as revealed in Christ. Religion is at the foundation of education first, last and always; it gives vitality, depth and harmony to the whole character.

For such an education we believe that the American people of the twentieth century will stand.

But the question is asked from every quarter, how under our conditions of the separation of church and state, children of all faiths and no faiths in the public schools, can there be religious education? Let us face that question first, by for one sometimes fears, but there are good people who are afraid to meet the issue.

Shall we then turn our energies to the creation of parochial and other church schools? We give high respect to those of the Roman church who trace to their convictions on this point, create church schools and pay for their administration in addition to their taxes for the public schools. And in our own and other churches there are conditions where such schools are necessary and of great help.

If this country is to remain Christian, the people of the country must be shown how they can support our great and noble school system and at the same time bring up their children in the principles of Christian faith and character.

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Shu-Workers Dancing Party at Associate Hall a Great Success

That popular group of young men and women who are hailed by their friends as the Shu-Workers, entertained the largest crowd that has ever packed Associate hall when they conducted their annual dancing party there last evening.

Although the dance held by the Shu-Workers last winter, the party at which they had made their bow to Lowell social circles, was one chiefly distinguished by a grishing attendance, that held last evening was even more successful.

Through the courtesy of the local association of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, the decorations which had been used at their dance in place for that of the Shu-Workers. These lent an additional beauty to the scene.

Large American flags crowned the stage; bunting of the national colors hung from the ceiling; trellises of linen dyed in all the gorgeous colorings of the Orient invested the four walls with regal splendor; large, verdant potted palms also adorned the stage, from behind which could be seen the forms of the musicians, they completed the scene with their touch of sylvan beauty.

Knowing that musicians are made of flesh and bone like the rest of humanity, and that being so they cannot do justice to their delicate work if kept at a continual strain, the Shu-Workers provided against this by having two orchestras. These, Miner's and Broderick's alternated in playing sweet music and gave the latest dance airs with all the artistry for which they are noted.

The scene in the large hall was one which would hold the attention of anyone. As all know, Lowell is celebrated throughout the land for the beauty of her daughters. Well, they were all there. Charming is a word lacking in force in describing them, for as they glided about the hall, crowned in the tasteful and dainty manner which is one of their noticeable attributes, stepped through the subtle measures of the waltz, the two-step and the schottische with transcendent grace, they were indeed "visions of delight."

The officers of the evening were: General manager, William H. Cudworth; assistant general manager, Annie M. Elliott; floor marshal, Michael T. Critchley; assistant floor marshal, Edward Francis Cox; chief aid, May McPartland; chairman reception committee, Christopher Campbell; assistant treasurer, Harry Gallagher; William King, Sadie Carr, Charles McQuade, Florence Morrow, Dexter Parks, Helen Walker, James Webster, Helen Bennett, Ernest F. Turner, Kitty Casson, Philip H. Welch; reception committee, Margaret L. O'Dea, Dennis F. Sullivan, Mamie Moriarty, John Crove, Ida Hannahan, Charles Moore, Mrs.

BOY SLAYERS

Youngsters Who Shot and Killed Joyce Girl Sentenced

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Thomas F. Foley, 15 years old, and Christopher Harris, 13, who shot and killed 12-year-old Mary Joyce of 101 West Third street, South Boston, were sentenced to indefinite terms in separate reform schools by Chief Justice Allen in the Suffolk superior court yesterday. Both boys were carrying loaded revolvers at the time of the fatality and Foley pleaded guilty to the actual shooting which caused the death.

According to Assistant District Attorney McIsaac, the boys found two unloaded revolvers on Nov. 12 in a stable in South Boston. They bought cartridges and were shooting at a target when the Joyce girl, in a group of school children, came between the boys and their target on their way from school. Foley either deliberately or recklessly pointed the revolver at the girl and fired, the bullet lodging in her head. Foley was sent to the Suffolk school for boys and Harris to the Lyman school.

Harris, the younger boy, was indicted for larceny in 1912 when his case was not pressed and two actions are pending against him now, one for breaking and entering and the other for malicious mischief.

GIVES HIMSELF UP

Man Hounded by His Conscience, Wanted to do Right for Xmas

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A shabbily dressed man sauntered into a police station this morning and respectfully removed a dented derby as he faced the lieutenant. "I am being hounded," said the man. "By whom?" "By my conscience. I am Joseph E. Moore of 112 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, Mass., a part of Boston. A week ago I walked into a meat shop at 27 Bunker Hill street and ordered a chicken. When the butcher went to the icebox I looked the door on him. Then I took the money out of his cash register and ran away. I was hungry and out of work. Now Christmas is coming and I want to do what is right."

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Made Her First Appearance at Indianapolis Last Night

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 19.—The official matron whose duty it is to preside at all dances, made her first appearance in Indianapolis last night at a dancing party given by society folk at a local hotel. In this case the matron engaged in all the dances and found no occasion to censure any of the guests, the music or the dress. All of these things are included in her duties, according to the law recently passed by the city council making the presence of a matron at dances in Indianapolis necessary before the affairs can be started.

The matron appointed for the society dance was a member of the society which conducted the affair.

ATLANTIC RATE WAR

REPORT FROM LONDON SAYS CLASH IS IMMINENT—ALL CONTINENTAL LINES INVOLVED

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—News from London that an Atlantic rate war is imminent is read with interest by shipping men today. While recent advances have failed to carry any intimations as to the progress of the negotiations to bring about a renewal of the Atlantic shipping pool it was hoped here that the present agreement which expires Dec. 31 would be extended for another year and that the work of re-constructing the pool could be satisfactorily accomplished.

The beginning of the unrest in the shipping pool extends back to Oct. 1, when the Hamburg-American line denounced the agreement as being partial to the North German Lloyd.

A rate war would involve all the British and continental lines.

NO MONEY FOR EXPOSITION

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Regret at last night's decision of the cabinet not to provide for the erection of an official pavilion for the display of British goods at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco in 1915 is expressed by the London newspapers today. The Unionist Evening Standard says the question of expense should not have stood in the way of assisting in the celebration of the completion of a great commercial enterprise by a friendly power.

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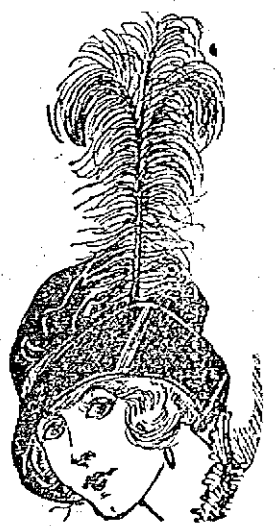
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HISTORY OF AMERICA

STATUARY REPRESENTING THIS COUNTRY FROM TIME OF ITS DISCOVERY TILL PRESENT DAY

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—A row of statuary, representing the history of America from its discovery by Columbus until the present day, will soon be placed along the east bank of the Schuylkill river in Fairmount park. This symbolic representation of the nation's history was made possible by a provision in the will of the late Mrs. J. Benford Samuel, who left \$500,000 for the work. The Fairmount Art association announced yesterday that it had accepted the gift and that arrangements with the park commission had been made to permit the erection of statues.

There were no restrictions in the will on the subjects except that they shall represent scenes of American history. Some of those considered most likely to be decided upon are Columbus discovering America, the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers, William Penn treating with the Indians, Washington at Valley Forge, the battle of Lake Erie, Lincoln freeing the slaves and the battle of Santiago.

IT'S MANAGER HERZOG

FORMER GIANT WILL PLAY IN TINKER'S OLD PLACE AT SHORTSTOP FOR CINCINNATI REDS

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—Charles Herzog, ball player, formerly with the New York and Boston National league clubs, was chosen yesterday as manager of the Cincinnati team for the season of 1914. After a conference with the board of directors, and a second conference with President August Herrmann and Secretary Harry Stephens, Herzog signed a contract as a player for a year and was then officially made manager.

Will Play Short.
Herzog steps into the position made vacant by the sale of former Manager Joe Tinker to the Brooklyn club. He will play at shortstop, as did Tinker, and guide the team on the field. Herzog outlined his ideas of a winning team to the board of directors, and they were approved.

Herzog said he believed in a fast, dashing team, much in the order of the New York National league team, of which he was a member before coming to Cincinnati, but added he had no grades or sales in mind at present.

Herzog is 26 years old and was born in Baltimore. He is a graduate of Maryland university. After a short minor league experience he was signed by Manager McGraw for the New York team with which he played in 1908 and 1909. He was traded to the Boston National league team and played with that club through the season of 1910 and about the season of 1911 when he returned to New York by a deal made for him by McGraw.

The New York leader recently made a trade of him with Cincinnati in which the New York club gave Herzog and Catcher Hartley for Outfielder Bob Bescht.

WRIGHT TALKS ON AEROPLANES
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The transformation of the aeroplane by means of a universal stabilizer, the dream of many aviators, is still far from accomplishment, according to Dr. Orville Wright, who spoke last night at a reception given in his honor by the aeronautical society.

Dr. Wright's statement, while it is encouraging, does not hold out any hopes of a perfect stabilizer in the near future. He said he said: "It is premature to say anything at present about a stabilizer. We have worked for years to take the work of managing the machine out of the hands of man and let the operator attend to the steering alone. We think we have a device which will accomplish this. It will take care of the collateral and fore and aft planes but it still has a few mechanical troubles to overcome."

INDISPENSABLE SCHOOL NURSE
"Medical inspection of schools has rendered the school nurse inevitable," declares Dr. Ernest Bryant Hoag in a bulletin on "Organized Health Work," just issued by the United States bureau of education.

"Without an effective follow-up service conducted by visiting nurses, medical inspection is ineffective. Until 1906 New York city relied upon good nurses sent to parents of defective children, and was able to secure action in only 6 per cent of the cases where treatment was recommended. Immediately upon placing the follow-up service in the hands of school nurses the percentage increased to 84.

The nurse effects what no other agency could accomplish. She not only secures action in the case at hand, but she becomes a permanent advisory influence in the homes where she visits. "By virtue of her room-to-room visitation and her opportunities for observation, the school nurse also becomes the ideal sanitary inspector. She solves temperature, ventilation, seating, cleanliness of room, toilet, blackboards and the clothes of children. Her hospital standards of sanitation tend to follow her into the schools.

"The school nurse is first and last a social worker. She instructs ignorant but fond mothers in the best methods of feeding, clothing and caring for their children. She is received in their homes as no other official visitor could possibly be. Dr. Osler does not overstate the case when he says that the visiting nurse is a ministering angel everywhere."

"That the visiting nurse is a good economic investment is evidenced by the fact that some of the large insurance companies find it to their advantage to employ a number of them to visit the homes of policy holders and give instruction in matters pertaining to hygiene. Department stores and factories also find it good business to employ nurses to look after the health of their employees and to teach them personal hygiene.

"The number of school nurses needed varies somewhat according to local conditions and according to the range of duties expected of them. We find all the way from 1000 to 10,000 children under the care of one nurse. In New York city each nurse has from two to seven schools, with a total attendance of about 4000 children. In Philadelphia five schools and about 5000 children are usually allotted to one nurse, while in Boston the proportion of nurses is almost twice as great. It is not improbable that the ratio will be increased until it reaches an average of one nurse for each 1000 of the school children. There were one nurse for every 3000 pupils, about 10,000 nurses would be required in the entire United States. A nurse's room completely equipped is coming to be regarded as one of the essentials in every school building of eight or more rooms."

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Crane's Paper Ligne, 2 quire Silver Edge Correspondence Cards\$2.25 Box
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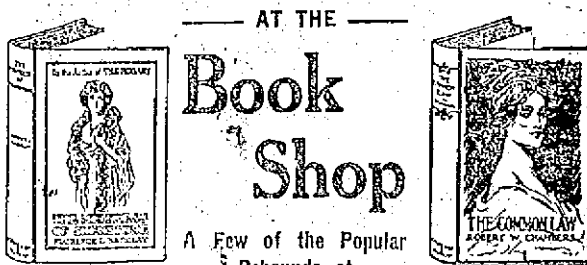
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BOXING, GOLF
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Athletes and Athletics

Billy Brooks was given a draw decision in his battle with Young Brogan at Lawrence last night. Brogan is an old timer in the ring but Brooks went at him like a bearcat. If the Lowell boy had kept his head and not tried to outslug Brogan there is no doubt but what he would have beaten his opponent.

Jack Johnson's wrestling aspirations received a setback Tuesday night when he attempted to throw a second rate Scottish grappler in Paris. The bout took place at a cheap music hall whose patrons were not at all polite to the negro pugilist. Johnson was thrown and his shoulders pinned to the mat shortly after the go started. Bouquets consisting of tomatoes, eggs and other fruit were freely cast his way as he arose after his defeat.

The French boxing commission is doing its best to have Johnson disqualified as world's champion heavy-weight and is staging the bout between Langford and Jeanette as the battle for the world's title. The American authorities still hold to Johnson, however, as the legitimate holder of heavy-weight championship of the world.

Critics of the soccer game all over the circuit are picking Clegg, the Huntington's outside left, as one of the cleverest forwards in the league. This player has been of inestimable value to his team and deserves all the credit that is being sent his way.

Over \$500,000 has already been subscribed toward the new monster athletic quarters to be erected in Detroit and the whole amount of \$1,000,000 is expected to be forthcoming this week. The new club will place the Michigan city on a par with New York and will prove a great boost to athletics in the middle west.

The performance of Ad Wolgast will be watched with great interest tonight when the ex-lightweight champ meets Charley White at Milwaukee. Wolgast has been laid up for some time and says that his rest has done him a lot of good. White is not a champion he is a tough customer for any of the boys in his division and if Ad puts it over on him he will be given engagements in plenty.

The White Way bowlers certainly have some "clay" tonight. McCarthy, McDonald, Holt, Dwyer and Devlin are in a mighty chess aggregation. In their match last night but one man out of

the five rolled under 300 and Hall hung up a total of 344 for his three strings.

Charley Brickley's election to the captaincy of next year's Harvard football team is a great thing in every way for Crimson Athletics. It is surely a fact that the great kicker deserves the honor and if Trumbull had been elected, even though he is an exceptionally good man at the center position, the college world would have looked askance at the selection. Brickley ought to make an ideal leader for another championship eleven from Cambridge.

And now we will see what Harzog will do in the role of manager. The former Giant third baseman has promised Garry Herrmann all sorts of things for next season and nothing remains but to see the new manager in action. If he can come through this year and place the Reds half way up the National league ladder he will have accomplished wonders.

Matty Baldwin experienced the first K. O. of his career last night and at that the old ring general was not really knocked out. Matty had all the best of the first five rounds in his bout with Phil Brock at Akron, O., but his side, which has bothered him for some time past, went back on him due to the terrible body punches Brock sent to his midriff in the sixth session. The two have been rematched to meet at the same club.

Yale rowing authorities have finally decided to hark back to the old Bob Cook stroke next spring. Their change to the English stroke did not seem to change matters in the least when they met the Crimson boat and it remains to be seen whether this shift will have any better effect. It looks from the start as though Harvard was due for a win next June.

Jack Henry, catcher on Clark Griffith's Senators, has been appointed as head coach in the Annapolis baseball team. Henry is still remembered at Annapolis for the banner athletic feats he performed while a student at that college. He was one of the greatest pucker followers in the college world in his day as well as being a wonderful backstop.

Joe Jeannette is being picked by many to defeat Sam Langford in their bout tomorrow night in Paris over the recent round route. Probably this fact is based upon the poor showing Langford made against Gunboat Smith at the Arena not long ago. It is safe to say, however, that Langford will be in the best condition possible and may fool the boxing public.

WINTER FUN FOR BASEBALL FANS IN
TINKER-HERRMANN-EBBETS DEAL

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ALL CLUBS ARE BUSY

New England League Magnates
are Building up Their Respective Teams—Lowell Looks Good

The Lowell baseball horizon for the season of 1914 is beginning to clear up and the prospects are much brighter for a winning combination here than they were a few weeks ago.

When the bulk of last year's star aggregation were either sold, drafted or recalled the outlook for another season looked very dubious. Realizing this fact and knowing that stupendous efforts would be necessary to land a pennant winning team here for next year Manager Gray attended the baseball meetings at both Columbus, O., and at New York in an endeavor to land some of the castoffs of the big show. As has been the case since he first entered the baseball circle he landed what he wanted after a first-class pitch over in "Pittsburgh" and two pitchers, who, although their names have not yet been made public, he feels sure will compare favorably with Miller and Aubrey. The first baseman which Gray has under an option is also a wonder and should go a long way toward giving Lowell a great sendoff at the beginning of the season.

The other clubs around the circuit are having their troubles at present in building up a team which will have a chance with the leaders of the league. The entrance of Fred Lake and Pitchburg into the league will lend a lot of zest to New England baseball for it will be the first time that this town has been given a tryout.

Lake in Fitchburg
Lake thinks that he can make baseball pay in Fitchburg and he sincerely hopes that he can. He is depending a great deal on what the street railway people have said apropos of baseball fandom in Fitchburg, but it is of course, a biased account which he has received from them and as such we hope he has listed it. Every fan who travels out to the Fitchburg ball park pays a nickel into the exchequer of the company it is hardly feasible to suppose that their interest is wholly unselfish.

Fitchburg has been noted as a town where it was well nigh impossible to receive 25 cents at the gate for a ball game. Only 15 cents was asked at the majority of the amateur games. It is certain that Fitchburg fans will not see two New England teams play for less than a quarter for the league would certainly balk at lowering the admission in any town where we have nothing but good wishes for Lake we fear for his club in Fitchburg.

President Fraser and Manager Pat Mahoney of the Lynn club are trying to bolster up their team for both consideration of their chances for a pennant winner in 1914 are very bright. The club is having a great deal of trouble about locating at Ocean Park for another season.

The owners of the park, which has been used by the Lynn baseball team for many years has received an offer for it from an amusement company and is ready to do business. It is said that the owners of the company, however, have not been granted the Sun-

day concessions which they will have to have and the city council is being besieged daily by pleas from fans who want to see baseball continue in Lynn. The question of the park will be settled before long. If President Fraser does not get Ocean Park Lynn looks to be in a bad way for a baseball representative next season.

Burkett, as usual, claims the pennant for his Worcester Hustlers and states positively that the club he manages will be heard from without fail. The quiet, soft spoken Jesse is doing his best to land two pitchers from the Red Sox and a first baseman as well. Burkett was a great friend of Jim McEwen, the Red Sox's former chief executive but under the new regime Jesse does not know just where he will get off in his proposed purchases. The Worcester club is up in arms over the case of Outfielder Shorten. Shorten was drafted by the Chicago White Sox, or at least they put in a draft for him. Later, however, they changed their minds about him and rescinded the draft. At present the draft bulletin shows Memphis as the owner of Shorten and Burkett is yelling murder. It was bad enough, says Jesse, to have this player drafted by the majors, but when Memphis stepped in it was insult added to injury.

Clochey in Anger
Daniel Clochey, who last year controlled the Fall River club and who this year will boss the Haverhill outfit, is raising his mild voice in anger over the case of his former catcher, William Miller. According to the report of the North Carolina league's statistician, Miller was the fourth best fielding backstop in that organization last season. Clochey claims that Perkins, another catcher is also his property. However, nobody seems to be paying much attention to the report of the general Daniel so that he will probably calm down after a few more gusty speeches and look for something further on which to pin his exonerations. Clochey should make the same howling success out of Haverhill this year that he always has in years past. We trust that this statement is not ambiguous and feel certain that it is not.

Brookton Up in the Air
The Brookton club is up in the air, management as well as players. The ball players haven't any idea where they are going to play this season. The home base and the management is wondering where they are going to get the fifty-five to operate a team. Baseball interest in this shoe city appears to have died out completely. Neither Portland nor Lawrence will be greatly handicapped by losing men through the draft route. Hugh Duffy expects to sit tight in the Maine city. His aggression is well nigh intact from last season and with the addition of a few youngsters Duffy thinks that he can bring home a winner.

Portland and Lawrence Stand Pat
Practically the same may be said of

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—The Joe Tinker-Garry Herrmann-Charley Ebbets winter baseball game is sure some contest. Fans the country over have had a beautiful chance to rave on the

indoor bleachers in club, train, trolley and by their own firesides over this \$25,000 deal. The erstwhile manager-player of the Reds certainly did slide into the limelight and prove a real joy for the rabid followers of the national

game. Not even Tiller Shaffer's "heart-breaking" news from Los Angeles that he had determined to quit baseball forever could dim the lustre of the delightful and costly Tinker squabble.

Louis Pieper in Lawrence. The down river club has gone along for the past two years in good style, winning the flag in 1912 and giving Lowell a great battle until the last two weeks of the season when the pace which Jimmy Gray's players set proved too much for them. Pieper expects to fill up the hole left by the drafting of Carlstrom and to bolster up the weak points in his defense of last season. Pieper also thinks that he will produce the winning combination in 1914.

\$110,000 FROM BOXING

NEW LAW IN NEW YORK RESPONSIBLE FOR GREAT SUM IN STATE TREASURY

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 19.—In filing its annual report at the state house today the state athletic commission will show that since the boxing law went into effect in August, 1912, about \$110,000 has been paid into the state comptroller's office, this money being the amount of the five per cent. tax on the gross receipts of all licensed clubs operating under the statute. There has been a falling off in receipts during the last year, due probably to the poor quality of many so-called star bouts.

TALKS ON EUGENICS

IF POLICY TO TEACH CHILDREN IS PERSISTED IN RACE WILL DIE OUT IN 150 YEARS

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—"If the policy of teaching eugenics to children in the public schools is persisted in the race will die out in 150 years," said Bird S. Coler, former comptroller of New York in an address last night before the Industrial Club of Chicago on "Patriotism and Philanthropy."

"What are you going to do about the children whose minds are filled with the false science of a bankrupt materialism?" he asked the speaker. "What of the foolishness that fills our theatres and impels those in comprehensible products of a sick sentimentalism, the sex hygienics, to put matter in the minds of the children which the government bans from the mails?"

Mr. Coler said he based his assertion regarding a dead race in 150 years upon birth rate statistics of a college for women, where eugenics and sex hygienics have been taught for many years.

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ORIGINAL MOVIES

Made by Muybridge—Experiments in Photography Successful

The founder of the moving picture business, according to Popular Science, is Edward Muybridge, who began his experiments in instantaneous photography in California in 1872 and subsequently carried them forward at the University of Pennsylvania, which provided him with grants amounting to more than \$40,000. The scientific investigation supported by the Pennsylvania university was thus the origin of an enterprise of immense practical and commercial importance. The annual receipts from the moving picture houses in the United States are about \$150,000,000. A royalty of 10 per cent. on these receipts would defray the entire cost of all the real university and research work in this country.

The experiments of Muybridge at the University of Pennsylvania were originally undertaken to study animal locomotion and in this direction were of much importance both for science and for art. Painters and sculptors represent men and animals as they appear to the eye not as they appear in instantaneous photographs, but the knowledge of the position of the body in movements first learned through such pictures is of value to the artist comparable with a knowledge of anatomy.

On the grounds of the University of Pennsylvania a head was built about 130 feet in length painted black with a network of white threads. Opposite the head was the camera house in which were 24 cameras each having a lens three inches in diameter. The cameras were operated electrically by a motor clock so that 12 successive exposures could be made in one-fifth of a second in some cases three batteries of cameras were arranged so that simultaneous views from different positions were taken.

Instantaneous pictures of animal locomotion were subsequently made by Muybridge in Paris who used a sensitized film so that a succession of pictures could be taken with a single lens. Edison later applied the film to the kinetoscope and to projecting moving pictures on a screen with a lantern.

Consulted Inventor of Phonograph
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actions and auditory works. Neither method of reproduction was, however, at that time sufficiently advanced, and it was necessary to wait until, this year when Edison was able to synchronize in a satisfactory manner the pictures and the sounds.

Although the reproduction of a play by moving pictures and the phonograph is far from being perfected, it may be that before long such copies of plays and operas by leading actors and singers with the best possible stage settings, may be more effective than the average performance, as the photographic reproduction of a great painting may have more artistic value than an inferior original.

WOLGAST IS FAVORITE
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 19.—Ad Wolgast of Cadillac and Charley White of Chicago will meet here tonight in a ten round boxing contest. The betting ranges from even money to 10 to 8 in favor of Wolgast.

B. F. Keith's

WEEK OF DECEMBER 19

America's Premier Lyric Tender
Will Oakland and Company
In the Melodious Singing Novelty,
"At the Club." One of the most delightful offerings and one that makes you forget business cares and worries.

The Universal Favorites
LEWIS AND DODDY
"Oh Look at That Hat." Special Request Engagement

SIX OTHER FEATURES
Including Jordan & Roberts, Herbert and Clinebell, Fenton, Steve, Blanchard & Hughes, Helen Hathaway's Monkeys and the Pathé Weekly.

MADONNA SQUARE THEATRE PLAYERS

TOMORROW
After the Matinee, Second Popular Reception
By the Members of Company on the stage. Come and Meet Your Favorite Next Week. Stupendous Christmas Attraction.
"THE PRISONER OF ZENDA"

THEATRE VOYONS

"THE HOUSE OF DISCORD"
Biograph in Two Parts
PATHE'S WEEKLY
Song by Miss Daggett,
"MY HIDDEN TREASURE"

HEAVY SCORING BRICKLEY WINS

Several Games Last Night Resulted in High Totals
Elected Captain of the Harvard Eleven by Unanimous Vote

The Tremont & Suffolk team bowled one of the season's fastest games last night in their contest with the T. & T. rollers. The final score resulted in a 1451 to 1337 win for the Tremont & Suffolk aggregation. The winners took all three stringings. Whalen, anchor man for the winning team, rolled highest single of 114 and the high total of 322.

One game was rolled off in the Y. M. C. A. league last night, the Monhegans winning from the Naonassets by a margin of 59 pins. The winners took the last two stringings. Benefit of the losing team rolled the highest total.

The White Ways made a runaway of their match with a picked team from the Y. M. C. A. defeating the latter by the overwhelming score of 1543 to 1332. The winners rolled a remarkably good game. Hall's total of 344 and his single of 143 are figures which are seldom seen in the city. But one member of the White Ways totaled under the 300 mark.

One of the closest contests decided this season upon any of the local alleys was the game last night in the Concord league between the Cubs and the Invincibles, which the former won by the score of 1362 to 1300. Eastman of the winners was high man.

The Arlington and Riversides rolled off their Concord league game last night with four men on each team. The Arlingtons won the contest by a generous margin. Martin and Hamilton, both of the Arlingtons, were tied for high total honors.

N. E. T. & C. CO. VS. T. & S.
TREMONT & SUFFOLK

Jordan 114 83 238
Farrell 87 102 83 272
Marquis 86 99 104 289
McDermott 88 94 104 286
Whalen 101 114 108 324
Totals 472 592 457 1461

N. E. T. & C. CO.
O'Brien 85 111 97 293
Quinn 79 79 80 238
Kavanaugh 85 104 95 284
Bernardini 78 113 97 288
Mahan 95 88 100 283
Totals 425 496 464 1265

WHITE WAYS VS. Y. M. C. A.
WHITE WAYS

McCarthy 100 82 127 309
McDonald 104 102 102 308
Hall 97 114 104 315
Dwyer 99 90 83 272
Devlin 100 104 106 310
Totals 500 551 522 1543

Y. M. C. A.
Freeman 85 90 87 262
Dow 83 83 80 246
Wrenn 89 86 86 261
Callahan 87 80 103 270
Kittredge 78 86 81 245
Totals 426 429 467 1292

CONCORD LEAGUE
CURS

Hession 93 78 71 242
Quinn 87 85 79 251
Clark 86 97 85 268
Phelps 83 91 83 257
Eastman 85 96 84 266
Totals 435 460 417 1312

INVINCIBLES
Jones 82 85 87 254
Hammerley 84 87 84 255
Smith 88 86 86 260
Burns 92 83 83 258
Rogers 77 87 84 248
Totals 424 443 433 1300

ARLINGTONS
Martin 1 2 3 7
Quinn 82 79 104 265
Devine 86 84 81 251
Hamilton 82 106 79 267
Brown 84 80 94 258
Totals 355 349 361 1065

RIVERSIDES
McCarthy 72 90 90 252
Maguire 83 82 76 241
Burns 87 85 83 255
Doyle 86 83 74 243
Totals 330 337 323 990

Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE
NABASSSETS

Denham 93 78 72 243
Kimball 83 79 79 241
S. J. Farrell 82 82 84 248
Benolt 85 96 83 264
Callahan 76 84 84 244
Totals 428 409 411 1248

MONHEGANS
Atkinson 82 87 87 256
Tom Farrell 72 101 83 256
Morrison 76 88 104 268
W. Wilson 78 88 93 259
Pearson 81 88 79 248
Totals 390 445 451 1286

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Charles Edward Brickley of Everett was elected captain of the Harvard football team for 1914 at a meeting held for the purpose in the rooms of his predecessor, Bob Storer, in Cambridge yesterday. All the more impressive was the honor as Brickley received the unanimous vote of the 18 men who played on the team this year.

Trumbull, his only rival, disposed of his chances by designating Brickley as the proper candidate, and stopping aside, an action that earned him the merited approval of all.

Of Brickley's career at Harvard little need be said, as his remarkable prowess on the gridiron earned him the unqualified praise of experts as one of the greatest backfield men of all time. Of his wonderful skill as a dropkicker critics are of accord in placing him among the very limited number of those who have won lasting fame at the difficult specialty.

All through his career from school boy to college he has been able to maintain a reputation that as lately as it was with every succeeding year appeared impossible of betterment, but with this season just ended he has proven that there are apparently no limits to what he is able to accomplish when the need arises.

In spacing for Harvard he attended Exeter a previous year in which he made his mark at Exeter high. At Exeter his reputation earned him the predictions of all football experts who saw him play that his future in the college ranks would be brilliant, but it is safe to say that no one, not even the most enthusiastic, rated him at his real value.

Upon entering Harvard he made his freshman team and was elected to the captaincy, distinguishing himself in all his games during his "freshie" year by his wonderful ability at field goal kicking and line plunging.

Charles Makes Good
It was a recognized fact that much would be expected of him when he became eligible for the varsity team in his sophomore year, and these expectations were more than realized. In this his first year under Laughton, he accomplished the downfall of Dartmouth in the last of the annual games, between the two former rivals by kicking a goal from the field, the only score of the game. All through the season his general order of play was of such a high calibre as to lead to his selection for a place on Camp's All-American team, a selection universally acclaimed by all followers of football.

It was rather freely predicted previous to this year's football season that Brickley would find it impossible to equal, let alone surpass, his showing of the previous season. That he was able to accomplish the latter is football history.

MATTY BALDWIN LOST

BOSTON BOXER QUIT TO PHIL BROCK OF CLEVELAND AFTER 6 ROUNDS, ON DOCTOR'S ORDERS

AKRON, O., Dec. 19.—Matty Baldwin of Boston lost to Phil Brock of Cleveland in the sixth round of a hard and grueling encounter here when Baldwin refused to continue fighting on advice of his physician, Dr. Robert Simms, who declared that Baldwin's ribs were severely injured.

Baldwin had been through a severe sixth round in which Brock punished him badly in numerous close range mixers. Matty stilled out the round. He went to his corner looking weak. His manager, Eddie Murphy, called for a doctor when Matty complained of being hurt and the easterner had an examination made. When the bell for the seventh round rang, Baldwin did not answer it.

Baldwin had the advantage of the contest up to the fifth session. He was too heavy for Brock. The Cleveland boy, however, got better with each succeeding round and there is no telling how the bout would have gone had it lasted longer.

"In that sixth round, I was unable to straighten up," Matty said. "I could not get my breath and consequently could not do myself justice. I could have continued but my manager overruled me. It was tough luck. Boston physicians told me before I came here that my left side had entirely healed and that I could go on fighting."

Lowell Opera House

The House Beautiful
1.30 to 5—DAILY—6.30 to 10
Warner's Feature For Today
"A Leaf in the Storm"
WITH
MISS MARION LEONARD
The Greatest Emotional Actress in Photo-Plays
5—OTHER FEATURES—5
BIGGEST AND BEST PICTURE SHOW IN NEW ENGLAND
Children 5c—Admission—Adults 10c

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Afternoon and Evenings

FROM 12 NATIONS MURDER TRIAL DEAD IN BATHTUB MUST TAKE OATH

Delegates at International Conference on Safety at Sea

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The delegates of the 12 nations, including the United States, represented at the international conference on safety at sea were received by King George at Buckingham palace this afternoon. His majesty extended to them a cordial greeting and evidenced his personal interest as a sailor in the success of the conference.

A woman, apparently of French nationality, attempted to smuggle herself into the palace under cover of the crowd but a policeman saw her and pounced on her. The woman protested violently that she was going to see Queen Mary and created some disturbance when she was taken away from the precincts. Apparently she was not a suffragette.

OVELS ELECTED OFFICERS
The business meeting of the Ovels in Elks hall last night was largely attended. Two important communications from the house next were read and filed. Many propositions for membership were received and committees appointed to look them up.

Action was taken on the suspension of two sections of the by-laws after some debate. In the election of officers the Australian ballot was used and the following officers were elected: President, John E. MacCallum; vice president, Richard J. Flynn; inventor, William C. Bowler; recording secretary, J. J. Hartnett; financial secretary, James H. Rogers; treasurer, J. A. Bailey; warden, J. P. McManus; sentinel, Joseph Leduc; picket, Thomas H. Burns; trustees, W. W. Murphy, Edward M. Bowers and Charles W. Richardson; sick and relief committee, F. R. Monahan and J. D. Williams; nest physicians, Dr. H. B. Plunkett and Dr. Wesley M. Sawyer.

The next meeting of the nest will take place early in January, at which time the officers-elect will be installed. A class initiation will also take place at this meeting. A large attendance is looked for.

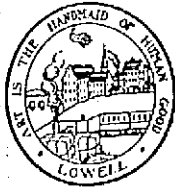
SUMMONED BY TELEPHONE
Hose Eight was summoned by telephone at 1:38 today. A chimney fire in one of the houses owned by the Gage Ice company on McFarland avenue was the cause, but no damage was done.

Koch Tells Jury How He Killed Trapper Gordon

RETLAND, N.Y., Dec. 18.—William Koch, the wealthy West Haven farmer on trial here for the murder of Charles Gordon, a trapper, on Nov. 9 told the jury today his story of how Gordon was killed. Koch said he had found Gordon trespassing on his private game preserve.

PRESIDENT APPROVED REPORT
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Wilson today approved a report by Secretaries Daniels and Garrison on the salaries on the administration policies which took place at a recent dinner of the military order of the Carabao, composed of the army and navy officers. It is understood the president will make a general statement expressing his disapproval and that future dinners will not be permitted to contain such features.

It is not believed that any names will be mentioned or that demerits will be charged to any individuals, but the statement to be one of a general reprimand.



BUILDING DEPARTMENT

All firms and individuals having charges against the Building Department are requested to present them for payment before Dec. 23, 1913. Per order, LAWRENCE CUMMINGS, Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

William A. Talbott Was Found Dead in Boston Hotel Today

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—William A. Talbott, whose term of enlistment in the coast artillery expired last Monday, was found dead in a bathroom at the Hotel Clarendon in the South End today under circumstances that caused the police to hold his companions, Thomas J. Carter, a private stationed at Fort Andrews, Charlotte Burke and Mary Hibbard. The police said that Talbott probably took an overdose of some drug and that his companions were detained pending the result of an autopsy. Talbott's home was at Monongah, W. Va.

ARMY OFFICER GUILTY

LIEUT. BARON VON FORSTNER SENTENCED AND STRIPPED OF COMMISSION

STRASSBURG, Germany, Dec. 18.—"Guilty of the charges preferred" was the verdict of the military court which has been trying Lieut. Baron Von Forstner of the 28th Infantry on the charge of illegally using a weapon against a citizen at Zabern, Alsace. The court then imposed a sentence of 43 days imprisonment and stripped him of his official commission.

DISABLED WARSHIP
NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 18.—The battleship Vermont, recently disabled at sea while returning from the European cruise of American vessels, placed in Cape Henry at 12:30 p. m. today on its way to the navy yard for repairs. The disabled ship was conveyed by the battleship Delaware and by the tug Sonoma.

STOLE TRAY OF DIAMONDS
LIMA, O., Dec. 18.—Leaving their automobile at the curb in front of the Hixson jewelry store, at 13th street, early today, three men rushed into the store, seized a tray containing \$700 worth of diamonds and escaped.

A New Law Regarding Marriage Licenses to Take Effect Jan. 1

On and after Jan. 1, City Clerk Flynn will require that every person making application for marriage license take oath that no legal impediment to the proposed marriage exists. This is a new law which provides that the secretary of state shall furnish the city clerk with a printed list of legal impediments to marriage in this state; that this list shall be posted in a conspicuous place in the office of the city clerk and that each applicant for a license shall swear that none of those impediments exist. The list has not yet come but is expected daily. Another law which goes into effect Jan. 1 is that if any resident of this state against whose marriage is a legal impediment goes to another state and contracts marriage, that ceremony shall be considered null and void in this state. This will principally affect divorced persons forbidden to remarry for a period of two years. Early in the coming session of the legislature the state board of health and the state board in charge of the insane are to report whether additional legal impediments to marriage should be declared.

Telegraphic Brevities

MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—What is believed to be the fountain head of a stream of \$10 and \$100 United States certificates was located today in the heart of a forest near Joliet, Que., and five men whose identity the secret service men refuse to reveal are under arrest.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18.—Spaniards regarded with little satisfaction the announcement by General Villa from Chihuahua today that the property left by them at that city was to be inventoried with a view of indemnifying those who had not taken part in the revolution. The value of such property is placed at between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000 in gold. The Spaniards said that as under Villa's ruling all Spaniards were friendly to Huerta, none of them would be indemnified.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Frank H. Rand, bursar and assistant treasurer of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, died at Pinehurst, N. C., today, according to a telegram received at the institute. Mr. Rand, who was 53, had gone to Pinehurst for a vacation on account of his health.

BROCKTON, Dec. 18.—Fire starting from an undetermined cause in the Bryant & Co. hay and grain building on Montello street in a congested business district early this afternoon caused damage estimated at \$12,000.

QUINAGA, Mexico, Dec. 18.—General Salvador Mercado, commander of the federal army, will be removed from office within a few days and his place will be taken by General Orozco, according to reliable information received today. Mercado's evacuation of Chihuahua without waiting for a rebel attack is given as the cause for his removal.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 18.—Telegraphers on the St. Louis & San Francisco road today began balloting on the proposition of a strike resulting from a refusal of receivers for the road to grant higher wages.

GUEST OF THE MAYOR
Mr. F. M. Sherwood, a representative of the Anglo-American exposition which will be held in London, Eng., from May to October, 1914, was a guest of Mayor James E. O'Donnell this afternoon. The gentleman who has offices in the Woolworth building, New York city, is on a tour through the New England states in the interest of the exposition, and his purpose is to interest the manufacturers to take part in the exhibition. From Lowell he is going to Worcester and Springfield, and he will return here in a couple of weeks, at which time he will appear before the Lowell board of trade.

SHOT ELECTRIC LIGHTS

LOUIS CURTIS, SON OF WEALTHY MAN, SENTENCED TO THREE MONTHS IN JAIL

NEWTON, Dec. 18.—For shooting out electric lights on an auto ride on the night of Dec. 1, Louis Curtis, 18, and member of a prominent and wealthy family, was sentenced to three months in jail upon his plea of guilty in the district court today.

The police charge that Curtis, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Curtis, rode with four friends through Newton, Wellesley and Weston shooting at the lights and ringing in a fire alarm. The judge sentenced was suspended until April 1 to allow time to pay court costs and to settle the claim of the lighting company for damage to its property.

RED CROSS STAMPS
"You would have laughed to see the fellows look at me when I went back to work after being away five months," said a rugged and healthy looking boy after his first day back in the factory. He was a victim of tuberculosis, plucked and thin, with a bloodless skin, and apparently half-dead when he got to work. There was little wonder that few knew him when he reappeared 25½ pounds heavier and some inches taller, with a healthy color in his face. During his absence he had been at the tuberculosis sanatorium. The company paid half of his expenses and Red Cross funds had provided for the rest. Was it worth while?

But a Red Cross stamp on your parcels and help the Lowell Guild as well as the fight against the white plague. The guild gets a percentage of all stamps sold in Lowell.

POSTOFFICE INSPECTOR ILL
LAWRENCE, Dec. 18.—Postoffice Inspector Harry W. Robinson is critically ill at the Barr sanatorium in Methuen where he was operated upon this week for appendicitis. Complications set in and it is feared he cannot recover.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Something different than what you have been buying, for

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50 Dozen New Voile Waists, delayed in transit. \$2 styles put in stock today at

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Here is a Handsome Gift.

USEFUL HINTS

\$7.50 RAINCOATS—\$5.00

CHILDREN'S COATS AND DRESSES

All Reduced for Xmas. \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.98

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LAWRENCE CITY COUNCIL

RAPPED BY REAL ESTATE MEN—ALDERMAN ACCUSED OF LAXITY IN ENFORCEMENT OF LAW

LAWRENCE, Dec. 18.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Lawrence Real Estate Owners' association, held last night in the chamber of commerce rooms, Alderman John S. Todd, director of the department of public health and charities, was severely criticised by the members for the laxity of his method and his insincerity of enforcement in relation to the recently adopted law in regard to the regulation of boarding and tenement houses. This topic occupied the larger part of the meeting and much criticism of the alderman was expressed. The members felt that Alderman Todd has not enforced the law as it should be enforced in regard to overcrowding, particularly of tenement property. The members also expressed a great deal of criticism against the members of the city council, with the exception of Alderman Bradbury, because they have not published the reports in the newspapers monthly as the director of public property has done. It was felt that the new charter made it plain that this should be done by the directors of all departments and it was voted to have the president call upon the members of the council with regard to the matter.

ALBANIAN FRONTIER

VENICE, Italy, Dec. 18.—The international commission for the delimitation of the Albanian frontier decided unanimously today to accept the decision reached by the London conference.

MORIARTY MURDER TRIAL

TOMS RIVER, N. J., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Caroline Turner, for whose murder Joseph Moriarty, alias William Leehan, a stenographer, is on trial here, was either killed in an auto accident or murdered by persons in an automobile, according to the theories of the defense at the trial this afternoon. H. H. Wainwright, of counsel for the prisoner, so indicated in his opening address to the jury. The defense would prove, he said, that the victim had been seen in an automobile at a time when the murder was supposed to have been committed. This car, he added, had run into a tree. It did not make clear whether the defense would ask to show that this crash resulted in Mrs. Turner's death or whether she was murdered and the body taken to the clump of pines where it was subsequently found.

LOWELL KNIGHTS ASSIST

The installation of officers for the ensuing year took place at the rooms of Lawrence council, 67, R. of C., Thursday evening. The installation was conducted by District Deputy William P. Thornton of Lowell and sette. The officers, inducted into office were: Grand Knight, Thomas M. McLoughlin; deputy grand knight, Maurice McKenna; chancellor, Louis A. Kane; warden, John H. Reynolds; financial secretary, Michael G. Loftus; treasurer, Joseph H. Gulliford; recorder, John P. Fitzsimmons; lecturer, A. Greder; inside guard, Thomas Kelleher; outside guard, William English; trustee for three years, Albert Kennedy. After the installation a social was held and songs rendered by the following: William P. Thornton; H. J. Keaveny; James E. Donnelly; and Augustine Carroll. Following the entertainment a collation was served.

DECEASED "LUMBERJACKS"

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud "lumberjacks" by sending them to Maine after collecting a fee for mythical employment, Isadore Freeman of Chelsea pleaded not guilty when brought before United States Commissioner Hayes today. Freeman was arrested on complaint of an employee who had discovered that 15 men he had hired to Mangor, Me., on the pretext that they were going to find employment in a lumber camp were destitute there. When taken into custody Freeman had just received a party of 20 men who were expecting to be sent to the Maine woods. Freeman was formerly employed in a labor agency in New York. He will be given a hearing next week.

MAYOR TO ATTEND

Mayor O'Donnell will attend the dinner at the Mayors' club at Young's hotel, Boston, tomorrow.

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IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES

FUNERAL OF CARDINAL MARIANO
RAMPOLLA IN ROME TODAY—ALL
NATIONALITIES ATTEND

ROME, Dec. 18.—Impressive ceremonial accompanied the funeral service today for the late Cardinal Mariano Rampolla, who died Dec. 16. The coffin bearing the dead cardinal's insignia was transported in the midst of a procession from the little palace where the prelate died to St. Peter's, where he had already gathered the members of the sacred college, the diplomatic corps, the papal court, the Roman aristocracy and the Knights of Malta, besides a large number of clergy and laymen of all nationalities. A requiem mass was celebrated by Monsignor Pietro Jorio, vicar of St. Peter's, and then Cardinal Viganò, Venetian bishop of Padua, officiated. The body was afterward conveyed to the ceremony in the chapel of the Vatican chapter and later buried in the church of St. Cecilia, of which Cardinal Rampolla was the protector and which he had caused to be magnificently refurnished.

PAPER PUBLISHED BY WOMEN
DENVER, Dec. 18.—Announcement was made last night by John C. Shaffer, owner of the Rocky Mountain News, Chicago Post and other papers of the purchase of the Evanston Index of Evanston, Ill. The paper, now a weekly, will be published daily and is to follow the policy of the Shaffer papers. Mrs. Hattie G. Galle, special writer on the Rocky Mountain News, will be chosen managing editor of the Index. It will not be a "woman's publication."

Weak Heart

Many people suffer from weak hearts. They may experience shortness of breath on exertion, pain over the heart, or dizzy feelings, oppressed breathing after meals or their eyes become blurred, the heart is not sufficiently strong to pump blood to the extremities, and they have cold hands and feet, or poor appetite because of weakened blood supply to the stomach. A heart tonic and alternative should be taken which has no bad after-effect. Such is

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BARBER FOR CHOIR BOYS

ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
HAS INSTALLED A BARBER SHOP
FOR SAKE OF UNIFORMITY

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—A special barber is the latest innovation in church life. St. George's Episcopal church, which J. P. Morgan endowed with half a million dollars, has installed a barber shop for the choir. The Rev. Karl Rolland, the rector, in announcing the new feature today, said:

"For the sake of uniformity in the appearance of our choirboys on Sunday and at a slight evidence of unbecoming special appreciation we have assigned a special barber to the boys on Sunday morning."

PAINTERS' UNION MEETING
New Board of Officers Chosen and Arrangements Made for Semi-Annual Conference

The regular meeting of the members of Local 35, Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers' union, was held last night in Carpenter's hall with a large attendance. Considerable business was transacted and the features of the evening were the election of officers and the appointment of delegates to the fifth, semi-annual state conference which will be held in this city next month.

The new board of officers chosen consisted of the following: Charles E. Dane, president; L. L. Sawyer, vice president; A. C. Barker, recording secretary; W. E. Grant, financial secretary; W. A. De Long, treasurer; Thos. Traversy, con-

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and/or; Louis Bissonette, warden; John Brodie, trustee.

The installation of the officers was held immediately after the election. The delegates chosen to represent the local at the state conference were Charles E. Dane and George E. Elfield. The conference will be held at Carpenter's hall from Jan. 11 to 14 inclusive. Considerable business concerning the organization is to be brought to the attention of the delegates as well as matters of legislation. The election of officers will also be held. About 120 delegates are expected to attend as well as representatives of the Worcester county board and the district council of Rhode Island. The delegates will be the guests of the members of the Lowell local, who will entertain them at luncheon, and who will see that they are properly taken care of during their sojourn in this city.

A large audience attended the series of tableaux that was presented at the Y. W. C. A. rooms in John street last night by the Massachusetts club, an organization of young women members of the Massachusetts cotton mill. A musical program was also rendered, much to the delight of the spectators. Miss Eva Henderson and Miss Lucy Fish presiding over the affair. Among the most attractive scenes presented were: "Evangeline," "Betsy Ross, Maker of the First American Flag," "The Age of Innocence," and "The Founding Girls."

SHIP LOST
IN POLAR ICE

Peary Names Bartlett as
Man to Go to Relief
of Stefansson

Fate of Vessel Caught
in Drifting Alaska Ice
Interests Scientists

The disappearance of Vilhjalmur Stefansson's ship, the old whaler Karluk, in a drifting polar ice pack north-east of Point Barrow Alaska has aroused great interest among the scientists in Washington.

Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the north pole, who has always encouraged the Arctic work of Stefansson, Dr. Henry Gannett of the National Geographic society, Major Gen. A. W. Greeley, U. S. A., retired, an international authority on polar subjects, who was once lost in the Arctic, and others qualified to discuss the apparent misfortune that has come to the Karluk, all read the Stefansson report and commented upon the probable direction taken by the Stefansson ship in the drifting ice-pack. They are particularly interested as to whether the vessel was likely to return to the Alaskan coast or to be carried across the polar area as was Nansen's vessel, the Fram.

The consensus of opinion is that the Karluk would only be likely to return to the Alaskan coast if Capt. Robert A. Bartlett succeeded in extricating her from the ice pack.

"If there is a ship's master in the world who can do this it is Capt. Robert A. Bartlett," said Rear Admiral Peary. "He is the best and most resourceful man in an ice-pack I have ever known."

Should Capt. Bartlett be unable to get the Karluk out of the ice, scientists generally agreed the ship's fate is problematical. The general drift of the current of the north coast of Alaska is westward. The prevailing winds of Point Barrow are east-northeast. At the time the vessel was last heard of by Stefansson she has drifted from 147 degrees west longitude to 150 degrees west longitude, moving in a strong northeast gale. Continuation of strong northeast winds combined with the westward movement of the currents would, it is thought, carry the ice pack westward beyond Point Barrow, and once in the track of the Jeanette and the Fram, the Karluk, unless released from the ice, probably would not be heard of for several years. In such a contingency her fate would depend upon actual conditions met with in that part of the Arctic area.

When asked for an opinion as to the probable direction taken by the Karluk, Admiral Peary said:

"That depends so much on the actual conditions faced by Capt. Bartlett and the Karluk that no exact prediction can be made. The general tendency of the drift of the north coast of Alaska and the Alaskan coast toward the west. Without going into details, I would say that the winds probably would have a much more important effect upon the ice pack than the tides, which are feeble around Barrow, or even than the currents. The direction of the drifting ice pack and any vessel imbedded in it in that region is dependent very largely on the prevailing winds and their direction."

Major Gen. A. W. Greeley of Newburyport, who was in command in 1881 of the American expedition to establish a chain of 13 circum-polar stations, and whose party of 25 was lost at Cape Sabine, except for seven survivors, said he thought the fate of the Karluk might depend very largely upon Capt. Bartlett's ability to get the ship out of the ice pack.

"All we know, generally speaking," said Gen. Greeley, "about the currents that part of the Arctic ocean is that they have invariably drifted a little north of west off the Alaskan coast. As a general rule, I do not wish to say anything of an alarmist character when ships, whalers, and others that get securely into ice packs north of Point Barrow that is generally the end of them. Of course, when ships are frozen in the ice pack there is a chance for escape to the shore. When there has been disaster to whaling ships vessels that have been carried off the westward have been lost, while those caught in the ice near the shore have been saved. My opinion is if the storm carried the Karluk to the north, or to the east the ship is probably all right, but that if the vessel drifted in the pack toward the west or northwest she may be lost. The drifts north-west she may get into the current and take the course of the Jeanette or the Fram. But I do not wish to be put into the position of an alarmist."

KICKING HORSE GAVE SHOW

A man named Harris had a narrow escape from serious injury last night, while a number of people standing on the sidewalk in Howard street near the corner of Chelmsford, witnessed with apparent delight the struggle that was going on in the road between Harris and his horse which became balky and refused to move. The driver did all in his power to get the horse going, but his efforts proved useless, and it was not until a long chain was used on the horse's flank by one of the spectators that the animal was started on its way to Boston. The horse kicked viciously and Harris had several narrow escapes from injury.

Shortly after 10 o'clock last night five wagons loaded with apples emerged from Howard street, the drivers taking their loads to Boston, where it is said the fruit has been sold at a good price. The four horses in the lead made a hasty exit toward Thorneike street, but Harris' horse, which pulled in the rear, went as far as Chelmsford street and that was his limit, for he stopped in the middle of the road and refused to budge, attracting a large crowd that laughed, jeered and criticized until finally the nag became ashamed and decided to go.

ELOPERS MUST STICK

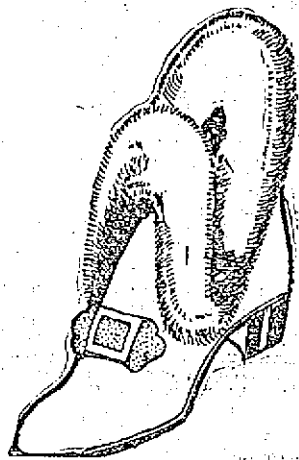
Judge Bird, of the Missouri superior court, said to all boys and girls who elope and get married:

"Don't come to my court afterward to get a divorce. As far as my court is concerned these boys' and girls' marriages will have to stick."

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ORIGIN OF SLANG PHRASE

"BUGHOUSE" STARTED WHEN A TELEGRAPH OPERATOR FOUND APPARATUS SHORT-CIRCUITED

"Slang, the German word for snake, creeps into our language in spite of our vigilance," writes a correspondent of the New York Times. "To illustrate: Some five or six years ago a certain telegraph operator, 'Joe' Kelly, in a large Baltimore office, called up Cincinnati by telegraph, but could not make himself understood, although he could easily understand the message sent him. Then he called up other cities with the same result. Evidently something was wrong, so he notified

the electrician, who on opening the box containing the transmitting apparatus found a bug which in the course of its wanderlust had short-circuited the machine.

"The other operators gave the victim a horse laugh for having a 'bughouse' transmitter. Even the messengers accused each other of being 'bughouse,' and inside of an hour it was flashed from one city to another. But after a while a race of employees sprang up who knew not Joseph, and to these the word 'bughouse' conveyed not much meaning. 'Could 'bughouse' compete with 'crazy'?" Well, for a time 'bughouse' had 'crazy' beaten, but a reaction set in when some miscreant composed the ditty, 'May Be Crazy, But I Ain't No Fool.' That put a quietus on 'bughouse'—a consummation devoutly to be wished.

XMAS EXERCISES

Continued

In response he delivered a brief but interesting address, commencing the sisters and the pupils for the success of the past year, and also bade them all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

The senior students of the academy presented a very interesting drama entitled "The Foundling of Sebastopol," which was received with tremendous applause. The entire program was as follows:

Overture
Act I—Tent in French camp.
Sylvana
Misses Bourgeois and Leary.
Act II—The widow's school.
Light of Heaven.
Misses O'Brien, Wyzanski, Smith and Cadoret.
Act III—Convoy of Our Lady.
Magnificat
Act IV—Parlor at Academy.
Capriccio
Misses Eileen and Wachs.
Act V—The widow's cottage.
Scherzo brilliant.
Misses McEaney and Rochette.
Act VI—English convent.
Christmas alle.
Orchestra.
Complimentary address.
Miss Louise Mahoney.

DRAMATIS PERSONAE

Rev. Mother Miss O'Brien
Sister Catherine Miss Mahoney
Sister Maria Miss Lavelle
Miss Gentry Miss Groves
Madame Luciois Miss Wyzanski
Rose Miss Sullivan
Amelia Sharp Miss Hurler
Eugene Gentry Miss Fogarty
Vict. Armstrong Miss King
Augusta Noble Miss Sears
Widow Maloney Miss Schmitt
The pupils will leave the academy for their respective homes tomorrow, and will not return until Jan. 6. Some of the young ladies are going as far as New Jersey in order to spend the holidays with their parents.

St. Michael's
At St. Michael's school in Sixth street the Christmas exercises were held this forenoon. The program consisted of musical and literary numbers by the nine grades of the school, and at the close of the entertainment goodies were distributed to the little ones by a real Santa Claus, who also donated gifts to the real poor children who attend this school. Present at the exercises were the sisters in charge of the school and the pastor of the parish, Rev. John J. Shaw, who addressed the little ones and bestowed his benediction upon them.

The program rendered was as follows:

FIRST GRADE
Recitation, "The Little One's Feast"
Hymn, "When Christ Comes"
Recitation, "Christmas Stocking"
Margaret Walsh
Recitation, "Very Little Toys"
Josephine Lalby, Mary Odeana, Mary Conlon, Lillian Sullivan
Song, "When Santa Claus Comes"
Recitation, "Santa Claus Misjudged"
Thomas Higgins
Hymn, "Little Babe"

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Little Miss Forlong
SECOND GRADE
Recitation, "Down Through the Chimney with Good St. Nick"
Recitation, "Christmas Wishes"
THIRD GRADE
Recitation, "Bethlehem Star"
Song, "Merry Christmas"
FOURTH GRADE
Recitation, "Merry Christmas"
Song, "Silver Stars Are Shining"
FIFTH GRADE
Recitation, "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men"
Hymn, "Welcome to Jesus"
SIXTH GRADE
Recitation, "Remember the Poor"
Song, "First Christmas Morning"
SEVENTH GRADE
Recitation, "The Message of Christmas Day"
Hymn, "Silent Night"
Recitation, "A Remarkable Boy."
Michael Kernan

Eighth and Ninth Grades
Class recitation.
"Wise Men."
Joseph Collins, John Donnelly and Joseph McCann.
"The Shepherd."
James Edwards, John Twohey and William Casey.
"Gifts to Our Infant God."
Helen McCann, Lillian Burns, Mary Leahy, Mary Burns.
"Adeste Fideles" School
Sacred Heart
At 2 o'clock this afternoon the pupils of the Sacred Heart school gathered in the assembly hall of the school, where a delightful entertainment was given by the talent of the school. The pastor, Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., was present and he was accorded Christmas greetings by the pupils. He briefly addressed the little ones and spoke of the good work that was carried out at the school during the year, and he concluded by wishing all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Sunday afternoon a Christmas tree will be held at the church and every child of the parish will be presented a valuable gift.

St. Patrick's
St. Patrick's school for boys will close Tuesday noon and the vacation will last until Jan. 6. On Tuesday forenoon individual exercises will be conducted in each class room, and they will consist of the singing of Christmas carols and recitations.

Immaculate Conception
On Wednesday noon the pupils of the Immaculate Conception school will be dismissed until January 6, and special Christmas exercises will be held in the forenoon.

St. Joseph's
St. Joseph's college and convent will close for the Christmas vacation on Friday afternoon. In the forenoon exercises will be held at the convent, while in the afternoon a special Christmas program will be carried out in the college.

St. Peter's
At 2 o'clock this afternoon the pupils of St. Peter's parochial school gathered in the assembly hall, where a fine entertainment program was carried out under the direction of the sisters. Several clergymen were present and at the close of the exercises the pastor, Rev. D. J. Keleher addressed the gathering.

Colburn
At the Colburn school a fine exhibition of various small articles manufactured by the pupils took place today and the parents took occasion to pay a visit to the school. Individual exercises were held in every room and a feature of the day was the exchanging of gifts between the various pupils of the school. The afternoon was devoted to the singing of Christmas carols and recitations.

Varnum School
A Christmas opera was presented at the Varnum school this afternoon at two o'clock, by the pupils of Miss MacBrayne's room, grade eight, and the attendance was very large. The cast of characters was as follows:

King Christmas, Rex Walton; Spirits of Christmas, Helen Carley; Sir Secretary, Holden Wetherbee; Miss X. Penelope Toy, Charlotte Girard; Rummage Gift, Portia Murphy; Box of Candy, Therese Woodward; Bottle of Ink, Joseph Hollingworth; Pair of Mittens, Eleanor Faulkner; Gladys Dubois; Terry Bears, Dana Hart, Roger Farley; Elmer Treavor, Fannie, Frank Tange, Clarence Brown, John Copley, Leo Doran; Barrels of Apples, Leo McCann, Elmer Treavor, Dana Hart, Roger Farley; Groceries, Flour, Milton McDonald; Sugar, Alvah Johnston; Potatoes, Marshall Lawrence; Tomato Soup, Chester Bell; Grain, Clarence Brown; Crackers, Norman McLean; Bonquets, Elizabeth Fulton, Evelyn Wilson; Josephine Koneczna, Marjorie Ginn, Loretta Farrell, Helen Munn, Julia Koneczka, Gladys Alexander, Crescence Gauthier, Agatha Farrell; Evergreen Girls, Susie O'Neil, Alice McHugh.

Grace Gillis, Jeanie Mosher, Bessie Baldwin, Beatrice Lalime, Pearl Hutchinson, Doris Judge; Pages, Richard Gibson, William French, Glenn Wotton, Hugh Randall; Christmas trees, Gwendolen Baran; piano, Lena May.

Scene I.—Throne-room at Castle Christmas.
Scene II.—The Night March to Castle Christmas.
Scene III.—Throne-room.

DEATHS

FLYNN—Mrs. Cecelia Flynn, wife of John J. Flynn, died Wednesday in New York city, aged 53 years. The body was brought to this city and taken to the home of Mr. John Flynn, 299 Cross street, by Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ALBARN—James Albarn died yesterday at the state hospital in Newbury, aged 75 years. His body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

DUPRAS—Mrs. Dupras, wife of Joseph Dupras, aged 54 years, 6 months, 1 day, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 77 Carmine street, Southwark. She leaves besides her husband, four brothers, Euclide, Joseph and Patrick, of this city, and Meade of Montreal, N. B., also a sister Mrs. John Gardner, of Lowell.

ROCKWELL—Mrs. Mary B. Rockwell died suddenly Thursday night at her home, 28 E. Street, at 8 o'clock. She leaves besides her husband, Guy L. three sons, Clifton, Percy and Webster, one daughter, Blanche, also her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blinnell of Westford. Funeral notice later.

O'BRIEN—John O'Brien, aged 41 years, died this morning at his late home, 16 Court street. The deceased was a resident of this city for many years, and his many friends will be pained to learn of his death. He was a devout attendant of the Sacred Heart church. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mary; three daughters, the Misses Mary, Catherine and John; three sons, John, James and Leo; two sisters and one brother in Ireland. He was a member of the Sacred Heart Holy Name society. Funeral notice later.

FUNERALS

WALTERS—The funeral of Charles A. Walters was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his father, Joseph Walters, 1148 Lakewood avenue, Rev. H. S. Pinkham, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. The bearers were Messrs. Herman Gunther, Paul Scott, Leslie Crawford and Frank Gunther. Among the many flowers were pieces from the following: Father, William, and family; brother, George, and Mrs. John Connor, Jr., and Mrs. John Donnelly; Mrs. Mary A. Cox, Mrs. Haslam and family; and Mrs. Dunlap, Thomas Sherklock, Dr. J. E. de la Roche, employees of the locks and canals Co. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

McNALLY—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine McNally took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 10 Quincy avenue, and proceeded to St. Margaret's church, where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. Henry C. Reardon. Although it was the request of the family not to send flowers there were several beautiful floral tributes, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances.

The casket was borne by the following: Messrs. William Keenan, John Cassidy, Avery Marshall and John Reardon. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's cemetery, burial being in the family lot, where the committal prayers were read by the Rev. Henry C. Reardon. The funeral was largely attended and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

GREEN—The funeral of Charles Green took place yesterday afternoon from his residence, 718 Lawrence street. The services were conducted by Rev. John J. Bannert, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church. The bearers were Messrs. George Green, Fred Green, Herbert Moore and Frederick Hope. The flowers were from the following: Family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Livingston, Mrs. J. H. Ashworth and family, employees of Edison cemetery, Mrs. and Mrs. Edward G. Cozzens, Baby Coggins, great grandson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Noonan, Robert H. Mulno, William Green, Herbert L. Mulno, Frederick Boyd, Francis, Maxwell, Benjamin Buck, Sr., Benjamin Buck, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Haggerty, Mr. and Mrs. James Stead, Habb Francis Powers, Miss Florence Gulline, brother and sister. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

MURPHY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Murphy was held yesterday from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Wauch, 20 Barker street, St. Paul. B. Riggs, pastor of the First Pentecostal church, conducted the services, assisted by Rev. H. E. Martin. There were many flowers which included pieces from the following: Family, 23 friends, First Pentecostal church, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Chase, the Jones family and Mrs. Molly, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Anderson, Miss Helen M. Grant, Miss Wauch, Miss Sue and Mary Murray and Mrs. George H. Hays. Rev. H. E. Martin read the committal service at the grave. The bearers were Messrs. John A. Hayward, George E. Chase, George Waterhouse, Harry Day, Dan Jones and William Caddell. Burial took place in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinberg.

HYLAND—The funeral of the late James Hyland, a former resident of this city, took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertaker C. H. Molloy, and was well attended. At the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Franklin T. Wood, O. M. I., to be followed by the funeral service. The bearers were Messrs. Frank Murphy, John Foley, Patrick L. Lynch and Louis Mulaney. Among the floral tributes were pieces from the following: Miss Lucy Carleton and Miss Adelle Ricker and others. The interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Franklin T. Wood, O. M. I. Undertaker James H. McDermott had charge.

DACEY—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Dacey took place this morning from the home of her sister, Mrs. Milton Corbett, 12 Duran street, at 8 o'clock, and was very largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. At 9 o'clock Rev. J. J. McDermott celebrated a high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church. Among the many beautiful floral offerings were pieces from the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. Fulton Corbett and family, Mrs. Rosa Jamieson and family, Mrs. Fox and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Waterhouse, Marjorie Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walsh and family, Mr. Charles Jamieson and Mr. Thomas Mack. The bearers were Messrs. John Kearney, Henry Quinn, John Quigg, George Waterhouse, James Clark and Oscar Donahue. The funeral was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

ALBARN—The funeral of James Albarn took place this morning from the chapel of Undertaker C. H. Molloy in Market street, at 10 o'clock, and the body was sent to the Edson cemetery, where the funeral service was held in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

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GREAT SMOKE SALE

AT

J. A. Desrosiers & Co., 526 MERRIMACK STREET

\$35,000 Stock of Clothing and Furnishing Goods to Be Sacrificed

The fire that destroyed Pelletier & Ledoux store Wednesday morning, caused extensive damage throughout the building, and J. A. Desrosiers & Co. being located in the same building, suffered considerable damage by smoke to some parts of its stock. J. A. Desrosiers & Co. immediately got in touch with the insurance company, and by 5 o'clock of the same day, had come to a satisfactory settlement of their claim and are ready to resume business. Now comes the interesting part to the public. While only a portion of the stock was affected by smoke, J. A. Desrosiers & Co. have decided to give their customers and the public in general the benefit of the liberal insurance adjustment almost throughout the entire stock—So beginning tonight at 6 o'clock we shall open our door to sell our \$35,000.00 stock of Clothing and Furnishing goods at a big cut down. Our Christmas goods are all perfect, everything guaranteed to be so. Anything bought not satisfactory can be exchanged—money refunded if desired. Don't let this golden opportunity get by without getting what you need—Just in season when you need it.

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MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

\$6.50 and \$7.00 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$3.95	\$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$7.95
\$7.50 and \$8.00 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$4.95	\$15.00 and \$16.50 Suits and Overcoats, and quite a few odds, and ends and small lots of \$18.00 lines, all sizes, big variety. Smoke sale price..... \$9.95
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\$2.50 and \$3.50 Boys' Suits. Smoke sale price..... \$1.85	\$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$7.95
\$4.00 and \$5 Boys' Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price, \$2.95	\$15.00 and \$16.50 Suits and Overcoats, and quite a few odds, and ends and small lots of \$18.00 lines, all sizes, big variety. Smoke sale price..... \$9.95
\$5.00 and \$6 Boys' Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price, \$3.95	\$18.00 and \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$12.95
\$7 and \$7.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price, \$4.95	\$22.00 and \$23.50 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$14.95
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\$6.00 Raincoats. Smoke sale price..... \$3.95	\$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price.... \$7.95
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\$5.00 Sweaters. Smoke sale price..... \$2.29	
\$5.50 Sweaters. Smoke sale price..... \$3.39	
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50c Heavy Jersey Ribbed Underwear. Smoke sale price..... 39c	70c and 80c Shirts. Smoke sale price..... 39c
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CLARK—The funeral of the late Patrick B. Clark took place this morning at 8 o'clock from his home, No. 43 Elm street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends; also a delegation from the local society of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, consisting of John L. McCallum, Richard Flynn, Michael McMullin and Alfred T. Handley. At St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. W. W. Mullin. The bearers were Messrs. Jeremiah McGlinchey, Hugh Plimerty, Patrick Kelley, John McDough, William Burns and Ed. Kelly.

Among the beautiful floral tributes were a pillow inscribed "Husband and Father," from the family and pieces from P. O. E. No. 223, local area of Eagles, Mrs. Edward Kelly, Miss Nellie Kelly and several others. The interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. W. W. Mullin. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker James H. McDermott.

JUDGE—The funeral of Mrs. C. Judge and the late Martin Judge took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 71 Chalmers street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Our Mary," from mother and sister, and pieces from Mrs. Edmund Packer and Henry W. Packer, Uncle Patrick and Aunt Annie, Aunt Della and Mary C. Lavin, Harold and Paul Judge, Mollie, and Helena Quinn, Maria, Agnes and Catherine Brennan, Kate and Mamie Coughlin, Mr. and Mrs. James Lavin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Meenan and family, Mr. and James O'Leary and Mary O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plavin, Mr. and Mrs. Rordan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley, the Misses Mary, Frederick, Seard, Mr. and Mrs. T. Miles, playmates Sadie Hession and Mildred Harrington, the Costello family, Miss Guillette, Mrs. Connor, several grade, Bartlett school, Kittie Brennan, Master Thomas Keville, employees Y. M. C. A., Miss A. McLean, Miss Cheney and Mr. J. Sabre. The bearers were Messrs. John Meenan, Frank Hession, Harold Judge, William Cullen, John O'Connor and James Barrett.

At the grave Rev. Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell.

GENNELL—The funeral of the late Mrs. Katherine Gennell, wife of Police Officer Charles J. Gennell, took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 65 Bedford avenue, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where deceased had been a devout communicant. At 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. John Degan, assisted by Rev. Thomas Walsh of St. Mary's church, Collingdale, as deacon and Rev. Francis Walsh of Reading as subdeacon. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Wife and Mother" from the family; wreath inscribed "Baby Gennell to Grandpa" and pieces from mother, sister, Maud, the Martins, Mrs. Frederick, Seard, Mr. and Mrs. John Queeney, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Merced, Catherine and Margaret Jones, friends of the Appleton cloth room, Mr. and Mrs. William Queeney, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cloutier, Mr. and Mrs. William Keweenaw, John Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Pelletier, Mrs. Mary, Mrs. Sullivan, Colonel and Mrs. James Carmichael, Miss Sadie Box and Mrs. John Allen. The bearers were Police Sergeant William G. Roux, William Sweeney, Eustach Pelletier, Arthur Gennell, John Allen and Clifford Cloutier. At the grave Rev. Fr. Degan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

IFUNERAL NOTICES

FLYNN—The funeral of Mrs. Cecelia Flynn, wife of John J. Flynn, will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the home of Mr. John Flynn, 299 Cross street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MURPHY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Murphy will take place this afternoon, from the home of C. H. Molloy at 4 o'clock. Burial will take place in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

MURPHY—The funeral of Patrick Murphy will take place at 9 o'clock Monday morning from his late home, 323 Worthen street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Higgins Bros., Undertakers.

SOMERS—Died in this city Dec. 17, at his home, 101 Orleans street, Martin T. Somers, aged 70 years, 8 months. Funeral services will be held from his late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

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